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GREETED BY MINISTERS

Among those waiting to greet him were his senior cabinet colleagues, Trade Minister C. D. Howe, Revenue Minister James J. McCann, Public Works Minister Alphonse Fournier, Finance Minister Douglas Abbott, Defence Minister Brooke Claxton and External Affairs Minister Lester B. Pearson. Officials of the National Liberal Federation and of the Prime Minister's personal staff were also on hand.

B.C. Phone Company Asking Increase In Exchange Rates

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WIDE VARIATIONS

"There will be considerable variation in the amounts of increases, and in some cases there will actually be reductions," said a company statement.

"Because extensive rate adjustments are necessary to fit the exchanges into the grouping plan, no uniform increases in rates on a percentage basis is feasible."

The \$1 charge on overdue accounts would be abolished, and the surcharge on monophones and desk telephones would be eliminated.

The proposed residence rates for Victoria are: Individual, \$3.75 (now \$3.30); two-party, \$3 (now \$2.20); multi-party, \$2.75 (now \$2.20); extensions, \$1 (now .50).

Vancouver Scratches

VANCOUVER (CP)—Today's race scratches:

First Race: Stockton, Ex-libris, Rock Steady, Paper Heels.

Second Race: Wild Deer, Still Time.

Third Race: Information, Inveresk, Ted Jr.

Fourth Race: Penask, No Demand, So Breezy, Game Time.

Fifth Race: None.

Sixth Race: Inchkeith, Valdina Charm.

Seventh Race: Test Flight, Hiyak, Pondo Py, Spartans Last.

Eighth Race: Star Destrer, Desert Band, Winhedid.

Substitute race canceled.

Weather raining, track sloppy.

Weather Forecast
Overcast with showers today; light winds. Clear this evening and Thursday with southwest winds, 20 m.p.h. Warmer. Low tonight, 45; high Thursday, 65.

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Mother, Daughter Killed When Speeding Train Smashes Car Stalled On Tracks In Hamilton

Mrs. Clothilde Germain, 29, of Hamilton, Ont., and her eight-month-old daughter, Adelina, were killed and Marcel Germain, father, and oldest daughter, Sandra, were injured when their car was hit by a Buffalo-Toronto flier at C.P.R. level crossing in Hamilton. Above is a view of crowd that gathered after the automobile had been hit at bottom of "Mountain" Road. Twisted front wheels of the Germain car are shown where they were tossed 200 feet from level crossing. The Germain were out for a drive when their car stalled on tracks. (S.N.S. Photo)



U.S. Finance Chief To See Cripps On Dollar Problem

LONDON (AP)—The financial chiefs of Britain and the United States will get a chance to discuss Britain's dollar troubles in a man-to-man talk.

A British Treasury spokesman said today that John W. Snyder, U.S. Treasury Secretary, will see Sir Stafford Cripps, Chancellor of the Exchequer, during Snyder's forthcoming tour of European capitals.

The spokesman said he did not yet know the date of the meeting. He said the British government was advised last month that Snyder would be coming over to talk to U.S. Embassy financial experts in various European countries and that he would see Sir Stafford and

other European finance ministers "as a matter of courtesy."

The spokesman said it was reasonable to assume Snyder and Sir Stafford would discuss Britain's precarious dollar position.

Sir Stafford and representatives of other countries receiving Marshall Plan aid are at present in Paris, trying to thresh out a new scheme for currency grants among themselves to stimulate intra-European trade.

The British Chancellor is fighting a U.S.-backed Belgian and French proposal that would require Britain to surrender more of her dollar reserves, which have been described as already below the danger point.

Showdown With West Europe

By HARVEY HUDSON

PARIS (AP)—Britain today faced a showdown with other Marshall Plan countries on how trade should be conducted among the powers of western Europe.

The seven-member consultative committee of the Organization for European Economic Cooperation met for about a half-hour this morning and decided to turn the whole problem over

to the full 19-power organization later in the day.

An O.E.E.C. spokesman described the morning meeting as "just a formal gathering," and said: "The real debate will begin now, and it will probably go on tomorrow."

W. Averell Harriman, U.S. Ambassador At-Large for the Marshall Plan, attended the consultative committee session. A spokesman for him denied reports published in London that Harriman had threatened to cut Marshall Plan aid to Britain unless Britain agreed to U.S. proposals.

The stakes in national prestige and perhaps even national economic stability seem large in comparison with the immediate dollar stakes.

Last week the top economic experts of Britain, France and Belgium met in Brussels but could not settle their differences.

The question is whether each country will make its own trade agreements with the other countries singly, or will all the countries set up general principles, agree on their currency relationships and then take steps toward multilateral trade.

To Vote On Service

WELLINGTON, N.Z. (Reuter)—Prime Minister Peter Fraser told the House of Representatives the government hopes to hold a referendum on compulsory national service in the first or second week of August.

Montreal Audience Protests As Ballet Stars Off Program



MILIZA KORJUS

MONTREAL (BUP)—Police were called to the suburban Verdun auditorium Tuesday night to quell an irate audience which paid to see an opera but was offered a shortened concert program instead.

Some 2,000 persons had bought tickets for "Tales of the Vienna Woods," but at scheduled curtain time a violent argument was going on backstage over non-payment of the artists.

One hour after scheduled curtain time, Metropolitan Opera star tenor Felix Knight and Miliza Korjus appeared on the stage and announced that two ballet dancers advertised to appear had been detained at the border.

It was announced patrons could get their ticket money refunded at the box office, but later it was found ticket money from door sales had been used to pay the orchestra.

While a large crowd milled around the foyer, Miliza Korjus and Knight talked the remainder into staying for the shortened program.

Miss Korjus, in 1944, sang to a capacity audience in the Royal Victoria Theatre.

Sees Planes Built

TORONTO (CP)—Air Vice-Marshal R. L. Limprasti of the Siamese Air Force is scrutinizing Toronto's aircraft industry. The four-foot-tall official said the Siamese are building a strong aircraft industry and already have the framework of a small-power air force.

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Commodore Guilty; Second Navy Trial Opens At Halifax

HALIFAX (CP)—A second navy court-martial opened here today following one which Tuesday night dismissed Commodore G. R. (Gus) Miles, O.B.E., Canada's senior officer afloat, from command of the aircraft carrier Magnificent.

The court-martial, which also sentenced the 47-year-old native of Rothesay, N.B., to be reprimanded, convicted the flat-top's captain of "negligently or by default suffering" the carrier to be "hazarded" and "stranded" off Nova Scotia's south shore June 4.

The court acquitted Commodore Miles on two other charges of having hazarded and stranded the carrier by negligence or default.

Today, Lt. Cmdr. W. D. F. Johnson of Barnstead, Surrey, England, navigation officer aboard the carrier when she sailed up 70 miles southwest of Halifax, faced similar charges at a separate court-martial. It was expected a verdict would be reached by tonight.

The court's findings will be sent to Ottawa for review by Defence Minister Claxton, who has the power to decrease but not add to the sentence.

Unofficial Count Gives Mrs. Steeves Of C.C.F. Victory

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mrs. Dorothy Steeves has won the Burnaby-Richmond constituency—unofficially.

Returning officer M. M. Reigh, at the end of a preliminary count this morning, found the C.C.F. candidate 16 votes ahead of Liberal rival Tom Goode. Figures released showed Mrs. Steeves with 13,650 votes, compared to 13,634 for Goode. Final official figures will be released later today.

Burnaby-Richmond is the only British Columbia riding not yet decided.

Should Mrs. Steeves' election be confirmed, the C.C.F. representation in the federal House will be increased to 13 seats, with the Liberals cut to 192.

Five Sailors Held As Police Probe Knifing Incident

(Special to The Times)

PORT ALBERNI—The fight between rival seafaring union members at Port Alberni Tuesday night put three men in hospital from knife wounds and police are holding five men in the local lock-up.

The flare-up, most serious of its kind in Port Alberni history, put Harry M. Smith, Victoria, in West Coast Hospital in serious condition from a knife wound that penetrated his lower abdomen.

Smith was a Canadian Seamen's Union ship delegate aboard Ss. Lake Canim. Two other C.S.U. men, Fred Kirkham, Nanaimo, and John Edward Saunders, Vancouver, are also in hospital from knife wounds, not believed to be serious.

Richard Hercum received light cut on forearm and head. He was released after having the wounds dressed.

HELD IN LOCK-UP

Members of the S.L.U. crew of the Ss. Triland held in lock-up pending investigation of a row in the Beaufort Hotel beer parlor are:

George Hunter, 22, of Brandon, Man., an oiler. He is one of the men severely beaten up in a raid on the Triland at North Vancouver. One ankle is still swollen to unnatural size from beat-said to have been administered during the raid while he was sleeping in his bunk.

J. Gibault, Montreal, able seaman; Pat Green of London, Eng., ordinary seaman; F. Wally French, able seaman; Nick Chokkan, Brandon, Man., ordinary seaman.

Members of the Ss. Triland crew confined aboard the vessels by officers' orders, stated that the men had been ganged up on and beat up until they were afraid whenever they met rival union members in overwhelming odds.

They claim no member of their crew will fight unless attacked.

Meantime Ss. Triland is prepared for siege with crew members patrolling the vessel, armed with clubs, ready to repel boarders.

A police guard is stationed at the gangplank. A statement made by John McAllister, C.S.U. representative here states that he and other members of the Lake Canim crew observed a waiter at the Beaufort Hotel beer parlor remove a knife from one of two men they knew to be S.L.U. members.

BEER PARLOR SCUFFLE

He and a crew member approached the pair and asked them to leave the beverage parlor. McAllister claims that one of the S.L.U. members grabbed him by the arm and said: "After you."

Grabbing a chair in self-defense he wrestled with the man, who had a piece of iron or wrench in his other hand, McAllister said. In the resulting battle, joined in by other members of the rival union, chairs, tables and a window were broken.

McAllister claimed that Harry Smith drew back, calling: "He's got a knife."

He assisted Smith outside and helped him stop the bleeding until the ambulance and police arrived, when Smith was taken to hospital.

C. Petrie, bosun of Ss. Lake Canim, states that he was in the Beaufort when the fracas started. He said he observed two rival seamen fighting with knives and went to the aid of Harry Smith. Both vessels were scheduled to sail for the United Kingdom this week with cargoes of lumber.

Three police from Nanaimo were sent up to assist the local squad. Sub-Inspector W. Thompson of Nanaimo was expected early today to take charge of the investigation.

Storm Kills 25

TOKYO (AP)—Between 25 and 35 persons today were reported killed and 1,000 houses destroyed or damaged by a heavy rainstorm around Kagoshima city in southeastern Kyushu.

Red-Held Shanghai Bombed

SHANGHAI (AP)—Bombs from Nationalist planes fell in Shanghai at noon today. Many casualties were feared in the crowded Chapel district.

Authorities cordoned off several city blocks and would permit no entry.

At least two Liberator type planes dropped below low hanging clouds in an attempt to hit the North railroad station and the rail freight yards on Maarkham Road.

Seymour Topping, Associated Press correspondent who tried to reach the area, said the bombs smashed a path through the crowded section.

AMBULANCES USED

During a 30-minute period four fully loaded ambulances left the area.

The planes remained overhead for more than an hour.

Bombs also were dropped in the southwestern section of the city nearby the Lungwha airport.

There was no attack on the harbor or shipping.

Calcutta Police Fire On Rioters

CALCUTTA (Reuter)—Police opened fire Tuesday to disperse a procession after demonstrations had set a bus ablaze and thrown crude bombs at constables.

One person was killed and six, including a police officer, were injured. The procession was formed after a meeting in the University Institute Hall, held to demand appointment of a committee to examine grievances of hunger-striking Communist prisoners in West Bengal.

Cars Derailed

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP)—Three passenger coaches and two other cars of the Kansas City-Florida Special Southern Railroad train were derailed near Eastman, Ga., today. Three crew members were injured.

Bout Set For July 5

LONDON (CP)—Jack Gardner, British heavyweight boxing hope, will meet Vern Escoc of Toronto, Canadian heavyweight champion, at Olympia July 5, promoter Jack Cappel announced today.

Mounties, Planes, Dogs Seek Youth Lost In Quebec Bush

VAL D'OR, Que. (BUP)—Royal Canadian Mounted Police, planes and specially-trained dogs combined with bushmen today in the search for 16-year-old Gillis Gray, missing in some of Quebec's wildest country since last Saturday.

As spot searches proved fruitless, local Police Chief A. C. Riddington got fast results for a rush call for "hundreds" of volunteers to help find the boy who failed to return after a week-end fishing trip.

His call had hardly started going out when more than 200 answered. They included pioneers of Quebec's north and prospectors who temporarily abandoned their work in this gold-rich area to help.

Riddington split them up into parties of fives, tens and twenties and took personal charge of one group as its members fanned out over a five square mile area. They carried walkie-talkies so they could keep each other constantly informed of their whereabouts.

B.C. Telephone Seeking Higher Rates

Acheson Hopeful In Crisis

WASHINGTON (AP) — State Secretary Acheson today expressed confidence that the combined statesmanship of the western powers will be able to solve Britain's financial difficulties.

Acheson made this remark at a press conference in commenting on the planned visit to Europe early next month of John W. Snyder, Treasury Secretary.

Acheson said he has been giving the British financial situation considerable thought but declined to say at this time what his views on the situation are.

Answering questions, he said Snyder's visit has been planned for some time and that it is a trip to handle U.S. treasury business.

He added, however, that it was desirable that he talk with British government officials in London regarding Britain's growing dollar shortage and her current export drive.

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Holmes Reappointed To U.B.C. Senate

Reappointment of H. Cuthbert Holmes, Victoria, and Hugh MacCorkindale and F. J. Burd, Vancouver, to the University of British Columbia Senate, has been made by provincial order-in-council.

British Railway Slowdown Threatens Traffic Chaos

LONDON (CP) — The decision of the National Union of Railwaymen to "work to rule," beginning Sunday midnight, threatens traffic chaos on Britain's nationalized railways.

It means a gentle "go-slow" policy, with men also refusing to work overtime and allowing freight to pile up at depots throughout the country.

The slowdown is in support of the union demand for a 10s (\$2) weekly wage increase. The management has offered raises of two to three shillings for lower-paid workers.

Negotiations were scheduled to continue today. Observers consider the management unlikely to be in a mood for further concessions with the go-slow threat hanging.

"Working to rule" means going by the 240 separate rules in a blue-backed rule book issued to train crews, track workers and other employees.

Although the rules have been theoretically in force for decades, few railwaymen know them in detail. They always have taken more practical short cuts. Now they will take time out to study the rules.

Applying these rules to the letter would disorganize freight and passenger traffic. It would be impossible to get trains away from stations in the time allowed in running schedules. Time-tables would be in confusion within hours.

The measure will authorize the government to take over or control any property or search any premises necessary to deal with the crisis. It will effect 3,000,000 persons.

The miners went on strike Monday. They are demanding a



One-Time Pupils Answer School's Last Roll Call

The 77-year-old Metchosin Public School, second free education school in the province and oldest operating school in western Canada, was officially closed at 10.30 this morning by three old-timers. Above, before hammering the historic "Closed" sign on the door of the school erected in 1872, are: Mrs. F. L. Stephenson, in checked coat, daughter of the school's first teacher. At her left with hat shading face is Robert Witty, one of the first pupils. On her right is Tom Helgesen, another early pupil. Also in the group were early teachers Miss Louise Sylvester and D. H. Elliott, and pupils Mrs. M. K. Macmillan, Mr. S. A. Trotter and Gavin Weir. (See story, page 23.)

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LATEST

Radios Seized

ROME (UP) — Authorities reported today that simultaneous raids on several hundred Italian homes Tuesday netted 148 illegally operated radio transmitters. The raids were carried out in Rome, Milan, Florence, Modena and a number of smaller towns.

Wheat At \$1.96

WASHINGTON (UP) — The government disclosed today it will support the price of this year's wheat crop at \$1.96 a bushel, on a national average farm basis.

Expect Light Crops

WINNIPEG (CP) — Light crops are expected in southwestern and west central Saskatchewan and eastern and central Alberta where considerable deterioration has resulted from drought conditions.

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Those cabinet ministers who are back in Ottawa from their home districts greeted Mr. St. Laurent.

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Reds Use Tommy-Guns In 4 Czech Villages

PRAGUE (UP) — Communist militiamen armed with Tommy guns today subdued Roman Catholic villagers in central Czechoslovakia after they had rioted for four days because police tried to arrest their priests, a witness to the disorders reported tonight.

The witness said the uprising began Sunday when carloads of police swooped down on four villages in the region of Turciansky Svätý Martin, some 200 miles east of Prague just across the Moravian border in Slovakia.

The trouble subsided only after martial law had been declared over a 100-square-mile area of the strongly Catholic region near Zlín.

The four priests whom police were trying to arrest still were free, the witness said. His

report indicated the events in that area were the most turbulent of the long struggle between the church and the state.

The townsfolk of four villages, Pod Zálezlov, Svätý Eln, Turciansky Svätý Martin, were reported to have gone to the defence of their priests, attacking the police with fists and clubs.

The eye-witness said some of the police were beaten badly and in at least one case the tires of a police car were slashed.

'Rip' Famed Canine, Dies, Buried As Court Ordered

'Rip' is dead and buried. One of the most publicized dogs in British Columbia, the male wire-haired terrier, Monday night joined his mistress, Marguerite E. Spratt, in the ranks of the departed. He was stricken by a heart attack.

Bequeathed the sum of \$75 a month for care and upkeep during his lifetime, 'Rip' died in his 10th year. In accordance with the stipulations of the will, he was buried in the garden of his late mistress' residence at 1385 Lotbiniere Avenue Tuesday.

The late Mrs. Marguerite Spratt, in her will, laid down a program to be followed in order that Rip would get the best of care during his lifetime.

The will of the testatrix, who left an estate of \$250,000, stipulated that Rip was to occupy the bed in the bedroom of the deceased, who died July 31, 1948.

... was to be bathed in the adjoining bathroom and be allowed the same privileges as his mistress.

In her will the testatrix left Rip in the care of a trusted friend, Agnes Cartwright. However, Miss Cartwright, owing to ill-health, was forced to give up this chore.

Alan Macfarlane, counsel for Montreal Trust Ltd., executors of the estate, in Supreme Court on June 17 said Rip had been given over to the care of a kennel man, Harry Dodds, 3919 Quadra Street, at the \$75 a month fee.

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This was not necessary as sale plans had not gone through at the time of the dog's death.

Boost Production Of New Atom Bombs

WASHINGTON (UP) — Production of new and deadlier A-bombs got a big boost this week.

A \$25,000,000 plant for tooling plutonium into atomic bomb charges went into operation at Hanford, Washington, Monday.

It is expected to be in full production by the week's end. The new plant will fabricate the explosive core of the new model bombs tested in 1948 at Eniwetok Atoll in the western Pacific. It will do so for the first time—on a production-line basis.

It is expected to step up the rate at which the A-bomb stockpile, now unofficially estimated at 200 to 300, is growing.

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Party Line Fee Would Jump 80 Cents In City Under Company Plan

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SHANGHAI (AP) — Low-flying Nationalist bombers today blasted the crowded Chapel district of Shanghai, killing at least two persons and injuring upwards of 100.

Police and rescue workers dug the injured out of blasted buildings hours after the planes had completed their mission.

Machine guns blasted away at the leisurely flying bombers but had no effect. Reports of the number of raiders varied from two to six planes.

Chapel is a densely-populated Chinese residential section. One stick of bombs fell in a rice paddy near the Lungchwa airport. Other bombs reportedly hit the Bubbling Well Cemetery.

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The company claims increased costs have rendered existing revenues inadequate. Its application points out that the company has not had a general increase in rates for 28 years.

Main argument for the extra charge is that the company plans to spend over \$40,000,000 in the next four years to provide new telephone service and improve existing services.

The company claims that capital to carry out this expansion can only be attracted if higher rates are approved.

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This means an exchange such as Keating, having less than 750 telephones, would have a lower rate than an exchange like Colquitz, where there are more than 750 phones.

Long distance rates will not be affected by the proposal and the \$1 charge on overdue accounts will be abolished.

The charge for inter-exchange calls in Greater Victoria will be boosted from 4 to 5 cents for a five-minute period. This rate would be charged on calls going between Victoria, Albion, Belmont and Colquitz.

The Victoria rate, under the proposal, will be as follows: Private residential phones will be charged \$3.75 a month, instead of \$3.30.

Residential phones on a two-party line will pay \$3 instead of \$2.20.

Residential phones on a multi-party line will be charged \$2.75 instead of \$2.20.

Persons with extension phones will pay \$1 a month extra per phone instead of the present 50 cent charge.

P.B.X. telephones will be charged \$1.50 instead of \$1.

The proposed rates for business telephones, with existing rates in brackets, are as follows: Individual, \$7.50 (\$3.50); measured, \$4.75 for 100 outgoing calls (\$3.30 for 100 outgoing calls); multi-party, \$3.25 (\$3.30); extensions, \$1.50 (\$1); P.B.X. telephones, \$2 (\$1.50); P.B.X. one-way trunks, \$8.50 (\$5.50); P.B.X. two-way trunks, \$10 (\$7); and semi-public (pay stations), \$6.75 (\$5.50).

The present rates quoted are for standard wall telephones. In addition, there is a surcharge of 25 cents for wall monophones and standard desk telephones and a surcharge of 40 cents for desk monophones and hang-up monophones.

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Alberni Union Scrap Sends 3 To Hospital

(Special to The Times)

PORT ALBERNI—The fight between rival seafaring union members at Port Alberni Tuesday night put three men in hospital from knife wounds and police are holding five men in the local lock-up.

The flare-up, most serious of its kind in Port Alberni history, put Harry M. Smith, Victoria, in West Coast Hospital in serious condition from a knife wound that penetrated his lower abdomen.

Smith was a Canadian Sea-

men's Union ship delegate aboard Ss. Lake Canim. Two other C.S.U. men, Fred Kirkham, Nanaimo, and John Edward Saunders, Vancouver, are also in hospital from knife wounds, not believed to be serious.

Richard Hercum received light cut on forehead and head. He was released after having the wounds dressed.

HELD IN LOCK-UP

Members of the S.L.U. crew of the Ss. Triland held in lock-up pending investigation of a row in the Beaufort Hotel beer parlor are:

George Hunter, 22, of Brandon, Man., an oiler. He is one of the men severely beaten up in a raid on the Triland at North Vancouver. One ankle is still swollen to unnatural size from beat-said to have been administered during the raid while he was sleeping in his bunk.

J. Gibault, Montreal, able seaman; Pat Green of London, Eng., ordinary seaman; F. Wally French, able seaman; Nick Chokan, Brandon, Man., ordinary seaman.

Members of the Ss. Triland crew confined aboard the vessel by officers' orders, stated that the men had been ganged up on and beat up until they were afraid whenever they met rival union members in overwhelming odds.

They claim no member of their crew will fight unless attacked. Meantime Ss. Triland is prepared for siege with crew members patrolling the vessel, armed with clubs, ready to repel boarders.

A police guard is stationed at the gangplank. A statement made by John McAllister, C.S.U. representative here states that he and other members of the Lake Canim crew observed a waiter at the Beaufort Hotel beer parlor remove a knife from one of two

men they knew to be S.L.U. members.

BEER PARLOR SCUFFLE

He and a crew member approached the pair and asked them to leave the beverage parlor. McAllister claims that one of the S.L.U. members grabbed him by the arm and said: "After you."

Grabbing a chair in self-defense he wrestled with the man, who had a piece of iron or wrench in his other hand. McAllister said. In the resulting battle, joined in by other members of the rival union, chairs, tables and a window were broken.

McAllister claimed that Harry Smith drew back, calling: "He's got a knife."

He assisted Smith outside and helped him stop the bleeding until the ambulance and police arrived, when Smith was taken to hospital.

C. Petrie, bosun of Ss. Lake Canim, states that he was in the Beaufort when the fracas started. He said he observed two rival seamen fighting with knives and went to the aid of Harry Smith.

Both vessels were scheduled to sail for the United Kingdom this week with cargoes of lumber.

Trade Experts From Mexico City, Lisbon, Buenos Aires Coming

Three Canadian government trade officials from Mexico City, Lisbon and Buenos Aires will visit Victoria during the next few days to confer with provincial government officials and representatives of Vancouver Island trading and manufacturing firms interested in extending trade with those areas.

They are: Rainey E. Gravel, assistant trade commissioner at Buenos Aires, who will be here next Saturday. A Canadian naval veteran of the Second World War, he joined the foreign trade service in 1945 and served in Santiago, Chile, before being posted to Buenos Aires.

Douglas S. Coie, commercial counselor at Mexico City, who will be here next Monday. Joining the foreign trade service of Canada in 1921, Mr. Coie has served in London, Bristol and New York City before his posting to Mexico City. He also has served as Canadian consul in New York and acting director of commercial relations in Ottawa.

Lester S. Glass, trade commissioner in Lisbon, Portugal, who will come here Friday of next week. Joining the foreign trade service in 1927, he has served in Bristol, Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, with the West Indies government while on loan from the Canadian government, and in Rio de Janeiro before going to Lisbon in 1945 as trade commissioner and acting Canadian consul general.

All three officials will make their headquarters with the provincial trade and industry department while here. Appointments to see them may be made through that office.

NANAIMO (CP)—Jack Adams, 30, of Qualicum Beach, is in Nanaimo Hospital suffering from a bullet wound in the chest. The hospital reported his condition good today. He was brought in Tuesday night. Police are investigating, but no details are known here.

Teacher Gets Surprise

Trio Of Young Acrobatic Dancers Win Way Into Semifinals Of Talent Quest

Unknown to their dancing teacher, three young Victoria girls, two of them aged 11, the other 12, decided to enter Roy Gordon's Daily Times Talent Quest.

After the show at the Odeon Theatre Tuesday night there was not a thing the teacher could say in the way of a light reprimand—the young threesome won the hearts of the audience and with that the fourth round of the second half of the quest.

The three, Francis Merriman, Betty Mae King and Shirley Pearson, received instruction in acrobatic dancing one hour each week and put on a tricky performance of twists and turns in unison to take first place in the contest over five other entrants.

"They would have received a few more hours of instruction and practice if I had known they were going to enter, but I guess there is not much I can say—they were still good enough to win," was the comment of the youngsters' teacher after the show as she, tongue in cheek, watched her young proteges being photographed.

SEMIFINALS NEXT WEEK

Next Tuesday night the trio will perform against three other acts in the second half finals. Winner will wait until Aug. 2 and then will compete against singer Johnny Page, first half winner, and the top performer from entrants in two extra competitions slated for July 12 and 19.

The three nimble winners of Tuesday's show, in spite of the fact they have not yet reached their teens, are veterans when it comes to dancing.

Francis Merriman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Merriman, 1466 Edgeware Road, and a grade 6 student at Oaklands School, and Shirley Pearson, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Pearson, 1050 Leslie Drive, have been taking lessons for seven years while 11-year-old Betty Mae King has been under instruction for four and a half years. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon King, 2316 Quadra Street. Betty Mae goes to North Ward School where she is in grade 6, while Shirley Pearson is a grade 7 student at Cloverdale School.

Montreal Audience Protests As Ballet Stars Off Program



MILIZA KORJUS

MONTREAL (BUP)—Police were called to the suburban Verdun auditorium Tuesday night to quell an irate audience which paid to see an opera but was offered a shortened concert program instead.

Some 2,000 persons had bought tickets for "Tales of the Vienna Woods," but at scheduled curtain time a violent argument was going on backstage over non-payment of the artists.

One hour after scheduled curtain time, Metropolitan Opera star tenor Felix Knight and Miliza Korjus appeared on the stage and announced that two ballet dancers advertised to appear had been detained at the border.

It was announced patrons could get their ticket money refunded at the box office, but later it was found ticket money from door sales had been used to pay the orchestra.

While a large crowd milled around the foyer, Miliza Korjus and Knight talked the remainder into staying for the shortened program.

Miss Korjus, in 1944, sang to a capacity audience in the Royal Victoria Theatre.

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These three bright-eyed young ladies today have visions of a trip to Hollywood following their victory Tuesday night in the Roy Gordon's Daily Times Talent Quest. Left to right, Francis Merriman, Betty Mae King and Shirley Pearson.

The packed house at the Odeon Theatre Tuesday night, as a fine array of amateur talent was presented.

There was Barry and Marilyn Carlow, 12 and 9 years old, respectively—but who looked like Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers as they waited around the stage dressed in full formal attire.

Accordianist Joy Tippet, 15-year-old Central Junior High School student, played the "Beer Barrel Polka," in a manner which showed her four years of practicing have not been wasted.

"Make Believe" was the selection chosen by singer Doreen Kohn, 14, of 2161 Donald Street, while the other vocalist competing, Jack Holland, showed plenty of promise as he crooned "Again."

Tap-dancing duo Audrey La-

tham, and Doreen Pearson, teenagers of Victoria and Mount View high schools, respectively, received a fine round of applause for their precision footwork.

GUEST ARTISTS

Roy Gordon again brought to the Odeon stage a creditable group of entertaining guest artists. Young Gary Smele, who leaves no doubt in the minds of the audience that he has a stage personality little short of terrific, kept the fans laughing and applauding with his rendition of "Put Your Shoes on Lucy."

A seven-year-old can-can dancer, May Guthrie, so impressed Mr. Gordon with her accurate and lively stepping that he is seeing to it that she appears as a contestant next time. May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Guthrie, 2931 Tillicum Road, is in

grade two at Craigflower School.

Jim Murdoch, handsome young soldier stationed at Work Point Barracks, sang "Embraceable You," in a way which probably had a few of the bobby-soxers in the audience near to swooning.

Final performers were two youngsters brought up from Washington by Mr. Gordon, who is also running talent quests south of the line.

Gaynell Stafford, 9, did a solo acrobatic dance, then teamed with 12-year-old Kenneth Grohs in a navy song-and-dance routine which indicated the pair may have bigger things in store for them in the entertainment field. Both the American children live in Centralia, but take lessons in Seattle.

No Mail Friday

Postmaster J. B. Sinclair announced today there would be no letter-carrier delivery on Friday.

Wicket service in the post office will be open from 9 to 11 in the morning and the public lobby will remain open until 6 in the evening. Special delivery service and receipt and dispatch of mail will be made as usual.

Shawinigan Park Area

The provincial government this week set aside for the recreation and enjoyment of the public 9.2 acres on the shores of Shawinigan Lake. The property is near the southern end of the lake.

Weather

St. John's	Min.	Max.	Precip.
Halifax	44	62	Trace
Montreal	62	70	
Toronto	66	80	
North Bay	61	69	
Port Arthur	43	51	
Kemora	60	66	
Winnipeg	61	82	Trace
Brandon	62	80	
The Pas	59	75	
Regina	59	78	
Saskatoon	59	78	
Prince Albert	52	71	
St. Boniface	58	79	
Swift Current	57	70	
Medicine Hat	58	81	
Lethbridge	46	72	
Calgary	49	78	
Edmonton	45	71	
Kamloops	39	67	
Penticton	33	64	
Vancouver	42	62	
Kimberley	46	70	Trace
Crescent Valley	39	58	
Prince Rupert	42	58	
Port George	40	59	
Seattle	48	65	
Portland	42	59	
Chicago	58	80	
San Francisco	51	62	
Los Angeles	54	74	
New York	62	78	
Spokane	62	78	
Whitehorse	38	61	Trace
New Westminster	47	59	

Showdown With West Europe

By HARVEY HUDSON

PARIS (AP)—Britain today faced a showdown with other Marshall-Plan countries on how trade should be conducted among the powers of western Europe.

The seven-member consultative committee of the Organization for European Economic Co-operation met for about a half-hour this morning and decided to turn the whole problem over to the full 19-power organization later in the day.

Other European finance ministers "as a matter of courtesy."

The spokesman said it was reasonable to assume Snyder and Sir Stafford would discuss Britain's precarious dollar position.

Sir Stafford and representatives of other countries receiving Marshall-Plan aid are at present in Paris, trying to thresh out a new scheme for currency grants among themselves to stimulate intra-European trade.

The British Chancellor is fighting a U.S.-backed Belgian and French proposal that would require Britain to surrender more of her dollar reserves, which have been described as already below the danger point.

better visibility and reduce the accident toll at junctions, he said.

The department is planning further improvements to the city traffic set-up.

Last Rites Thursday

For Mrs. Ellen Moir

Dr. A. E. Whitehouse will conduct funeral services Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Ellen Moir, 76, who died at the family residence, 3401 Cook, Monday.

Mrs. Moir, a native of High Wycombe, Eng., was a member of the Women's Missionary Society here.

Surviving is her husband, George, at home who was agent for the C.P.R. for 36 years in the East and West Kootenays. Also surviving are a son, William Harvey, Victoria; a daughter, Mrs. John S. Noble, Kimberley, and four grandsons.

Interment will be in Royal Oak.

Unofficial Count Gives Mrs. Steeves C.C.F. Victory

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mrs. Dorothy Steeves has won the Burnaby-Richmond constituency—unofficially.

Returning officer M. M. Reigh, at the end of a preliminary count this morning, found the C.C.F. candidate 16 votes ahead of Liberal rival Tom Goode.

Figures released showed Mrs. Steeves with 13,650 votes, compared to 13,634 for Goode.

Burnaby-Richmond is the only British Columbia riding not yet decided.

Should Mrs. Steeves' election

be confirmed, the C.C.F. representation in the federal House will be increased to 13 seats, with the Liberals cut to 192.

Bout Set For July 5

LONDON (CP)—Jack Gardner, British heavyweight boxing hope, will meet Vern Escoc of Toronto, Canadian heavyweight champion, at Olympia July 5, promoter Jack Cappel announced today.

Youths are believed responsible for the break-in at the Victoria Little Theatre on Langham Court one night this week. Police attending reported a side door was forced to gain entry, and that considerable wilful damage had been done, including the lighting of candles and burning papers. A. H. Kerr, 2281 Windsor Road, reported the entry.

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SLICED SIDE BACON, 1/2 lb., 35c

DILL PICKLES, 1-lb. jar, 19c

Shredded Wheat, NABISCO, 2 pkts. 27c

Nabob Coffee, FLAV-O-TAINER, 1-lb. pkt., 59c

Pineapple, Australian, Pieces, 20-oz. tin, 33c

Sockeye Salmon, Gold Seal, 1/2 lb. tin, 42c

Little Dipper Cake Mix, Per pkt., 29c

Grantham's Lime Juice, 20-oz. bottle, 46c

Nabob Pineapple Marmalade, 4-lb. tin, 83c

Burns' Campfire Sausage, Per tin, 49c

Johnston's Fluid Beef, 16-oz. bottle, 1.25

Mazola Cooking Oil, 16-oz. tin, 43c

Long Grain Rice, 1-lb. cello bag, 24c

Tomato Juice, Libby's, with coupon, 3 for 27c

TOMATOES, COTTAGE BRAND, 16-oz. tins, 2 for 39c

JELL-O, JELLY POWDERS, 3 for 25c

ORANGES, 392s, 3 doz. 57c

GRAPEFRUIT, 100s, 4 for 43c

TOMATOES, desserts, 2 lbs. 33c

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Leave Victoria 9.30 p.m.
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BURNSIDE-TILLICUM
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Leaves terminus 8.15 a.m.
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DOUGLAS-RALPH
First bus leaves depot 7.35 a.m.
Leaves terminus 7.55 a.m.
DOUGLAS-FALMOUTH
First bus leaves depot 7.05 a.m.
Leaves terminus 7.25 a.m.
GORDON HEAD
Regular Service
COOK-MAPLEWOOD
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House In Nanaimo Wrecked By Blast

NANAIMO (CP)—A decision to go for an after-dinner ride probably saved the life of Mrs. Josephine Plummer and her 15-year-old nephew, Alan, Tuesday night when an explosion believed caused by a bursting hot water tank completely wrecked her four-room bungalow.

The blast sent the water tank through the roof. It was found 250 feet away on the next street. Walls are bulged, ceilings and ceiling joists completely torn out and the entire interior is a shambles. Firemen said the house is ruined.

The kitchen stove was hurled 15 feet across the kitchen floor. There was no sign of fire.

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Giant Telescope Not Looking For Mars Inhabitants

SEATTLE (AP)—The largest telescope in the world is measuring up to all optimistic hopes of scientists, but it won't be used to trace down "men of Mars."

First photographs of stars and nebulae 1,000 million light years distant, caught by the 200-inch lens of the huge Hale telescope on Palomar Mountain in California, were shown to members of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific Tuesday.

(A light year is approximately six trillion miles.)

Dr. J. A. Pearce, director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory at Victoria, dusted off the popular "men on Mars" theory.

"The Hale telescope probably will not be used in answering the question which interests laymen most—is there intelligent life on Mars or anywhere outside the earth," commented Dr. Pearce. "That is not important to an astronomer."

Norwegians, Swedes, Lapps and other inhabitants of northern Europe used skis for centuries before skiing became a sport.

Alabama Unmasks Ku Klux Klansmen

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—Alabama has ripped the mask off the Ku Klux Klan and kindred organizations in a move to halt a wave of hooded terrorism.

Legislation to prohibit the wearing of masks in public was signed into law Tuesday by Governor James E. Folsom after it had been passed by the House of Representatives.

The governor then announced he would issue an executive order calling the new law to the attention of law-enforcement officers and ordering them to enforce it rigidly.

It was the second blow aimed at the Klan Tuesday. Attorney-General Albert A. Carmichael a few hours earlier had urged members of the legislature to pass a separate law to revoke the Klan charter.

Carmichael branded the hooded organization as "injurious" to the state and blamed its members for "floggings, terrorization and other lawless demonstrations contrary to all accepted concepts of decency and good order."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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Los Angeles Police Chief Retires As Vice Probe Pressed

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Mayor Fletcher Bowron announced Tuesday that Police Chief C. B. Horrall had retired.

Bowron, Horrall and various members of the city commission have been under fire in a vice investigation by a county grand jury.

Horrall previously had offered to resign on the grounds of ill health, but was perused by Bowron to remain.

Horrall later issued a statement saying: "I've been wanting to do this for a long time. This seemed to be the appropriate time to retire. My doctor advised me some time ago that I should take a long rest because of my health."

Within a matter of minutes, the Board of Pension commissioners approved Horrall's petition for retirement. His pension was set at \$574 monthly, based on 25 years of service. His salary of late was \$1,040 a month.

Harry A. Lawson, grand jury foreman, said Horrall's retirement will have no effect on the investigation of alleged tie-ups

between certain police officers and vice interests here.

The Herald-Express predicted Tuesday that many members of city commissions also will leave office soon.

Earlier Tuesday the grand jury began investigating the death of a Hollywood night club operator who claimed he was mistreated by police vice squad members.

Members of the Hollywood vice squad have been suspended pending a police board hearing that they had beaten up patrons of a night club.

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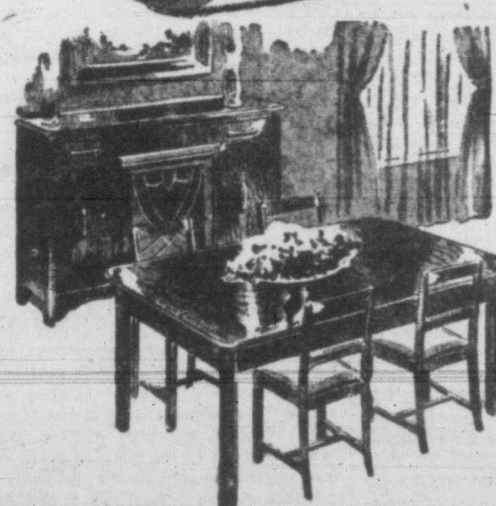


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CLOUDING UP AGAIN

BRITAIN'S SERIOUS ECONOMIC SITUATION, as represented in domestic austerity living and the "battle of the export gap," has not been so prominent in the news headlines during the past few months. Canadian trade agreements, a somewhat better European economic outlook and, above all, the operation of the "Marshall Plan," had combined to ease a state of affairs that two years ago was admittedly desperate. But the basic causes of Britain's plight were not essentially changed. The shortage of dollar currency, resulting in the need for drastic curtailment of imports and all-out development of exports, continued. Despite large allocations under the European Recovery Program, the gap between Britain's purchases and her sales abroad was not closed. Her gold holdings have dropped \$30,000,000 below the \$500,000,000 which Sir Stafford Cripps, Chancellor of the Exchequer, had set as the minimum reserve. An expected cut in United States grants starting next month, and a serious controversy regarding the operation of European credits, threaten to precipitate another British crisis of far-reaching implications.

The United Kingdom's recent bi-lateral trade agreement with the Argentine, as well as reciprocal arrangements with Poland, Russia and other Eastern European countries, have raised criticism in Canada, which also is anxious to develop additional Anglo-Canadian trade on a similar basis. But a more critical dispute has arisen in regard to European commerce. As part of Western European agreements, Britain was one of the countries that advanced credits to other nations, such as France, to enable the latter to increase necessary imports. Britain specified, however, that these credits must be accepted in the form of British goods, Belgium has now advanced a plan—supported by the United States and the other continental countries involved in the arrangement—whereby such credits would be freely convertible into gold or dollars, thereby loosening European trade and restoring a greater measure of freedom and competition. Sir Stafford, although admitting the desirability of such a step, insists on the impossibility of Britain, already short of gold and dollars, participating. His stand, while unfortunate for recovery, would appear to be forced on him by necessity.

The general situation, meanwhile, is being reflected in the bond market, over a delicate barometer of national financial conditions. British bonds are continuing to decline, despite the government's action in buying to sustain the market. Observers are speculating on the possible political repercussions of another economic crisis. The great testing time of a general election, with Socialism versus private enterprise as the central point of contention, is only a few months away.

QUICK ACTION

AMBLE EVIDENCE THAT THERE WILL be no delay in implementing the Coalition Government program of development for British Columbia may be seen in the award of the first contract for Pacific Great Eastern Railway extension. Less than two weeks after the Johnson-Anscomb administration was returned to power, a bid of more than \$600,000 has been accepted for grading and clearing a 14-mile section of the route, and work will get under way immediately. The late for completion of this particular portion of the plan is Dec. 31. Meanwhile, another contract for a six-mile stretch will be called within the next two weeks.

The expression of opinion by British Columbia voters in the provincial election was such that the government's course is clearly charted and approved. There was no equivocation in the voice of the majority. The people are ready to undertake the development of this great province and they are ready to do it now. They are, moreover, anxious to do it in the manner described by Coalition candidates earlier this month—with the government standing back of private enterprise, ready to aid but not usurp, ready to inaugurate but not dominate. That is the democratic way, as opposed to the Socialist plan, and British Columbia has chosen it.

THE 'NUT' IS THE SAME

IN A PICTORIAL STORY OF AUTOMOBILE progress, General Motors of Canada Ltd., dips back into history to start with the sailing chariot designed by Simon Stevin of Holland about 1600 and traces developments up through the ages to the streamlined luxury car of 1949.

Included in the illustrations is a representation of Nicolas Cugnot's primitive self-propelled road vehicle which startled the people of his part of France in 1769. Another print depicts Richard Trevithick's steam-carriage, introduced in England in 1801, and is followed by one of the first American self-propelled vehicles built by

Oliver Evans. From that point the evolution of the road machine is shown in various steps: Onestephore Pecqueur's first differential invented in 1827 in France, W. H. James first three speed transmission number brought out in 1832 in England, the gasoline-engine automobiles of Daimler, in 1886, and on up into the merry days of the first volume production car, the curved dash Oldsmobile of song and story, introduced in 1902. Then come the more refined creations; the electric starter installed by Cadillac in 1911, the lacquer finish of the Oakland in 1923, the four wheel brakes of the Buick a year later, the synchro-mesh transmission of 1928, the knee-action and turret top of 1935, the sealed beam headlight system of 1940.

It is an interesting story told by General Motors of Canada Ltd., in its picture history. But it neglects mention of one vital point. Although it pays tribute to the obscure, unsung and unrecorded person who invented, or discovered, the wheel, it seems to overlook the "nut" behind the wheel. Somehow, we cannot help thinking that Simon Stevin's 17th Century number placed as much reliance on that adjunct to road-traveling mechanism as do the streamlined, high-powered, high-speed cars of this day in June, 1949. And we hope, rather forlornly, that the next development of significance in automotive history will be an improvement in that particular fixture whose hands grasp the steering wheel and whose foot forces down the accelerator.

'RANK AND FILE'

WITH THE SUPPLEMENTARY ARGUMENT of the unknown British dockworker whose terse remarks ended a London waterfront tie-up, many may not agree. In the action by which he persuaded his mates to return to their jobs, however, is apparent an attitude which could have a healthful effect on some elements of labor which feel constrained to submit to the dictates of their more assertive fellows.

According to the news report, the anonymous longshoreman jumped on a little mound at an open-air meeting of dock strikers and shouted: "I'm just one of the rank and file. I've been at the back with the rest of you and I'm getting tired of all this." He then proposed a return to work. His suggestion that Canadian ships be black-listed is another matter.

The point we wish to make is that the outlook of this member, "just one of the rank and file" who was "getting tired of all this," is shared by men in almost every strike. They want to get back to the job. And when they find themselves in the invidious position of participating in a walk-out which has neither the approval of the union leaders nor the government, they are all the more inclined to seek a return to gainful employment. Working against their interests is a stiff-necked attitude on the part of those who feel they have committed themselves to the strike, with or without official blessings from their leaders. Such figures are forced out on the limb. They must be assisted to climb back and climb down before they can seek again avenues of conciliation.

If, however, more of those "at the back" stepped out and said their piece, there would be less inclination for demagogues to carry labor to a point where compromise is difficult. In the give and take of negotiations which eventually settle most strikes, greater flexibility is required.

ONLY ONE WAY

THOSE WORKERS WHO HAVE BEEN convinced by the arguments of usually well-meaning but economically inept theoreticians that all their troubles would be ended under a Socialist government must be in a state of confusion as a result of post-war experience. Whether they are in the countries directly affected—such as Britain, Australia, or New Zealand—or whether they live in a free enterprise economy as spectators of overseas troubles, their attempts to reconcile Socialist promises with performance must be leading to considerable mental bewilderment.

We are not suggesting, of course, that the economic history of these post-war years in our own Dominion, or in the United States, has been without difficulties. Both of these countries, for instance, have suffered crippling strikes in manufacturing, lumbering, mining and other industries. But the fervid political spokesmen who argued that all these anti-social phenomena would be swept away once Labor itself was in power have been shown to be wrong. Britain, Australia and New Zealand have all had their measure of labor unrest under Labor governments, and the current cry of the worker for more pay for shorter hours, with strikes as the medium of enforcement, has been as loud—and as economically impossible of complete fulfillment—in the Socialist countries as it has been in the politically orthodox lands. Britain's coal mine walkouts, railway and dock strikes and other tie-ups, Australia's mine and dock strikes, provide cases in point.

The hard fact is that very few spots on the world's surface furnish facilities for a workless paradise. Man must labor if he wishes to be happy, and that a wide and well-executed, if belated, American policy is in large part responsible for its existence. Despite the contrary view in some Washington quarters, having a policy is often a good plan.

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You have got to stand up to what seems to be the danger—the cold war and the underground movements which are sapping our spirit. Be strong; be courageous; be firm; stand up to it; don't sit down to it. —Field Marshal Jan Smuts, former South African premier, addressing the British people.

Matter Of Fact

By STEWART ALSOP

From Batavia, Dutch East Indies

HOPE

BATAVIA is an utterly characterless colonial town of unimaginable stuffiness, which boasts the most inedible food, the most outrageous prices and the most tireless mosquitoes in the Orient. Yet there are two things here which, to the weary traveler from other parts of Asia, make all the difference. The first of these unexpected phenomena is an actual, solid, understandable, constructive American policy. The second is simply hope in the air.

There is hope here—good, solid hope—of a final settlement between the Dutch and the Indonesians. This settlement would transform a huge area in southeast Asia, probably the world's richest area in natural resources, into a great, sovereign, non-Communist state.

IT IS ALMOST impossible to exaggerate the importance of such an event to the whole future of Asia, and indeed of the world. The drama which is being played out here may yet end in tragedy. But a happy ending is ultimately far more likely. To understand why, it is necessary to know something of three of the principal actors in the drama—a Dutchman, an Indonesian and an American.

The Dutchman is H. J. Van Royen, a thoughtful, fair-minded, highly intelligent diplomat who has spent much of his life in the United States. Before he arrived a few weeks ago, Dutch policy here was largely in the hands of the high commissioner, Louis Beel, a conservative who looks a good deal like Senator Robert A. Taft.

BEEL WAS MAINLY responsible for the "second police action" last winter, when the Dutch tried to crush Indonesian resistance once and for all. This was a brilliant military operation. But it was political insanity. It confirmed the Indonesians' worst fears. And, perhaps more important, it forced the United States to make up its mind. Beel has now resigned, in protest against the new Dutch policy which Van Royen has brought with him from Holland.

The Indonesian actor in the drama is Mohammed Rumi, the leader of the independence movement with whom Van Royen has been negotiating. He is a small, shy, brilliant man, with a game leg (he was shot during the early fighting) and jagged ears, the pointed face and the sharp brown eyes of a particularly shrewd mouse. The third actor is the American, H. Merle Cochran of the United Nations Commission—a large, pink, clever man who suffers the tropical heat uncomplainingly despite his vast bulk.

THESE THREE MEN, the Dutch diplomat, the small Indonesian, and the large American, have only one thing in common. All three—and the governments they represent—now want the same thing. They want a settlement in Indonesia which, while protecting Dutch economic interests, will lead to a transfer of sovereignty from Holland to a new state—the United States of Indonesia. This is the new policy which Van Royen has brought with him from Holland (although the Dutch, with more or less straight faces, deny that it is new). And this new policy springs very largely from the fact that the United States, which for a very long time really had no policy in Indonesia, has at length decided that a free Indonesia is in the interests of the United States and of the whole western world.

VAN ROYEN and Rumi, tactfully but tirelessly prodded by Cochran, have accordingly reached a preliminary agreement. This provides that the Indonesian leaders will return to their former capital, Jogjakarta; that there will be a cease-fire; and that the Indonesians will then fly to The Hague to work out with the Dutch the terms of the transfer of sovereignty to the new Indonesian state.

Clearly this is no more than an agreement to try to agree. Similar agreements have been reached by the Dutch and the Indonesians before, and they have always ended in a bloody shambles. There are still great dangers, which will be considered in a forthcoming report in this space. Nothing is certain until there is a final settlement.

YET THERE IS one new element in the Indonesian situation. This is the quiet, friendly pressure which the United States is now effectively bringing to bear on both sides. Without this pressure, the accumulated bitterness of the postwar years would have made it impossible for the Dutch and Indonesians even to start toward settlement. The American pressure will continue. And this is the basic reason why a final settlement here appears ultimately inevitable, although a good deal of blood may be shed on the way.

A free, non-Communist Indonesia is the best, and perhaps the last hope in southeast Asia. It is pleasant to be able to report that this hope exists, and that a wide and well-executed, if belated, American policy is in large part responsible for its existence. Despite the contrary view in some Washington quarters, having a policy is often a good plan.

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Anyhow, It's A Lot Better Than A Wider Split



New Weapons—New Problems

By PETER EDSON, from Washington

CONSIDERATION of the North Atlantic Pact and the \$1,450,000,000 arms-for-Europe program naturally leads to much speculation on the nature of the next war—if it comes to that.

There have of course been many predictions that the next war will be the last one. The idea behind that is that new weapons will be so deadly that civilization won't survive. That prediction has been made before, but it has been wrong every time.

FOR FUTURE USE

Toward the end of World War II a number of weapons came into limited use which may play important roles in World War III. Among them may be mentioned the proximity fuse, the medium-range rocket, the jet-powered guided missile, the non-magnetic land mine which cannot be detected by ordinary screening methods, and the recoilless rifle which gives two infantrymen practically the equivalent fire power of a 75-mm. artillery weapon.

The atomic bomb is usually mentioned at the head of this list. But the idea that sole reliance should be placed on the atomic bomb to win the next war is now being questioned seriously. It is of no use against deployed troops. It would be of no use against Communist forces in Greece and China. It would be of no use against Russian troops that might launch a sudden offensive movement against western Europe.

Atomic bombs could of course be used against Russian industrial production. But western European steel-making capacity of some 55,000,000 tons a year—

to cite one example—would be of greater use to the Russians than their own 20,000,000-ton capacity at home. Other captured resources would be greater, too.

Russia's military superiority in Europe must be admitted. Russian armies would probably be able to occupy much of western Europe in, say, two to three months. Having seized these industrial areas, the United States would probably have a hard decision to make on whether to use atomic bombs against western Europe because that would mean wanton destruction of the people of allied nations.

The military problem in Europe, therefore, could resolve itself into a question of how best to defend the western democracies against invasion by an aggressor. Keeping a foothold in Europe from which a counter-offensive can eventually be launched is of paramount importance. Here is where the North Atlantic Pact and the military assistance program to build up western European defensive forces come into play.

IMPORTANT ROLE

The five weapons of late World War II vintage, mentioned previously, may play an important role in this defensive warfare. The proximity fuse—which incorporates a small radio set in the nose of the shell, causing it to "home" on metal—is an extremely deadly weapon against aircraft.

Jet-powered guided missiles, with speeds several times the speed of sound, may eventually doom the day of the long-range

bomber, which pokes along at speeds of only 400 miles an hour. If the rocket with ranges of up to several hundred miles had been perfected by the Germans several years earlier, World War II might have had a different ending. Its use in the next war will be even greater.

The non-magnetic mine and the recoilless rifle have capabilities of changing entirely the character of land warfare in defensive operations.

The initial arms assistance program under the North Atlantic Pact does not contemplate completely equipping the armies of the 12 allied western European nations with all this latest gadgetry. For a little less than a billion and a half dollars that couldn't be done. Included in this total is perhaps \$100,000,000 for European arms manufacturing equipment, \$32,000,000 for Greece and Turkey, \$1,000,000,000 for arms proper.

It has sometimes been said that since it costs \$200,000,000 to arm one division, the billion will add only five divisions in Europe. That argument misses entirely the real purpose of the arms aid program, which is to complete the equipment of European divisions now inadequately armed and short on transport, to make them effective, full-strength fighting units.

ONLY A START

It is of course only a start. It will require additional expenditures in future years. The purpose now is to build up the manpower and arsenals of western Europe for action against an aggressor in what may be a new type of defensive warfare.

The Cost Of A Kiss

B.B.C. London Letter

CHRISTOPHER SERPELL, the BBC's Rome correspondent, has a knack of finding odd human stories that are very touching. His latest concerns an Italian schoolmaster who was on holiday in 1939.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT

It happens that in Italy the police can inflict summary fines

Typical Aberdonian

Windsor Star

Aberdonians are famous, or notorious, for their knowledge of the value of money and how to protect their pennies. This is no myth, as illustrated by the experience of George Watson, from that city, when traveling to Vancouver.

Canny George bought all his railway fares and meal coupons prior to leaving Aberdeen. But, on a trans-continental train, he encountered the British Columbia three per cent sales tax on meals. He refused to pay it. He insisted he already had paid for his meals and wasn't going to pay any more. And he didn't.

In view of rock-ribbed opposition, the waiter blushed and walked away. What else could he do with an Aberdonian?

on people committing minor offences: the offender can refuse to pay but risks having a heavier fine imposed if he is found guilty by a magistrate's court. Now the schoolmaster kissed his girl friend on a romantic moonlight drive along the Italian Riviera. A policeman popped up from behind a wall and fined him 10 lira; the schoolmaster refused to pay but gave his name and address.

Two months later he received two registered letters; one called him to the colors, the other was a summons to pay 20 lira for his osculatory offence. He ignored the summons and left for the war.

A year later, reading his mail in a dug-out on the Albanian front, he found a summons to pay 150 lira. In Greece, months later, another summons asked for 600 lira.

STILL INCREASING

In September, 1943, as he was reading the news of the Italian armistice, a summons caught up with him again; it was now for 1,100 lira. He might have paid then, but the Germans rounded him up and placed him in a concentration camp at Baden.

When war ended a tired and rather war-worn man returned

to his old job. The years went by and then, just as the New Year began, he received another summons, this time for 5,000 lira, to be paid within the next three days or incur the utmost penalties enjoined by law.

"The schoolmaster paid up," said Serpell, "and laid the ghost of his prewar past. The affair has interested the newspapers from the statistical point of view."

INFLATED COST

"What with inflation and the rise in the cost of living all prices in Italy are many times their prewar level. But the statisticians point out that the cost of a kiss has outstripped them all; it has been increased 50,000 per cent."

Important Education

Toronto Star

There can be no doubt that public education concerning nutrition is important. It is hoped it will be promoted on an extensive scale as a public health service. More than that, it should become part of the elementary school curriculum, and be integrated with a system of parental education for home-making and good family life.

GLOBAL SURVEY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

MORE than 100 warships—British, French, Dutch and Belgian—are assembling in Penzance Bay, on England's west coast, for naval exercises.

These operations are purely defensive, aimed at aggression from any quarter. The international aspect of this fleet in peacetime manoeuvres probably is unique.

Meantime British, American and Dutch warplanes are waging over Britain a mock war which is designated as "Operation Foll." Its purpose is to test John Bull's defences against an attack with atom bombers—from any quarter. Here again the international aspect is unique.

This is Britain's first major test against atom bombers. In the second day of the operation London (which suffered so terribly from bombing during the war) was "saved" by the defensive air fleet, though several Midland and coastal cities suffered "extensive damage." The official referees withheld comment on this, but the British defensive forces were jubilant.

IMPORTANT PURPOSES

These two operations are being carried out without blare of trumpets, although they comprise a historic event.

The exercises seem to be calculated to serve two important purposes: (1) they afford striking advertisement of the determination of the western democracies to stand together defensively; (2) they provide invaluable defensive experience.

The operations presumably are in part a gesture toward Moscow. Their international aspect serves notice that the Atlantic Pact is more than a piece of paper.

They also provide practical evidence to the harassed countries of western Europe that the Atlantic alliance means what it says. That is important, because these countries would be sitting right under the big guns if another war should come.

Right here it should be said that these exercises don't mean the western democracies expect another world conflict. It does mean that they recognize the possibility of an upheaval and intend to be prepared for contingencies.

CLIPPED at RANDOM

LIVING AND READING

Field Marshal Wavell in the BBC London Letter

"What part should reading play in our lives? It should certainly not be a substitute for action, nor for independent thinking, nor for conversation; but it may be a help and stimulant to action, thought and talk; and it is capable of providing almost infinite pleasure."

IN THE FOREFRONT

Ottawa Citizen

The election of Dr. H. H. Hamann as president of the International Federation of Agricultural Producers may be regarded not only as a tribute to Dr. Hamann personally, but as recognition also of the outstanding place held by Canadian agriculture in the world's eyes. The federation's meeting at Guelph last week saw representatives of the farming industry from many countries in attendance. A Canadian was elected president, and a proposal of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture for the distribution of food from surplus to needy countries was adopted in its entirety.

FAR AND NEAR

The Times of London

Some day no doubt we shall all be able to travel so far and so fast that going and coming and staying in the same place will all be much the same thing and no one will bother any longer to go anywhere. Meanwhile the galloping extension of communications continues to add to the pleasures of staying at home. It is not merely that death on the road or compression on the underground is less appealing than the cushioned comforts of the fireside; it is also clear that the more thoroughly this planet is explored by our indefatigable geographers and authors and radio commentators and camera-men the more necessary it becomes for the anchorites of our teeming cities to travel any farther than the library or the wireless set or the cinema. And this need saddens one unduly, for not only does it add a lot of interest and color to the lives of stay-at-homes, but it curiously increases the numbers of those who desire to make, and frequently succeed in making, the "unnecessary" journeys aforesaid.

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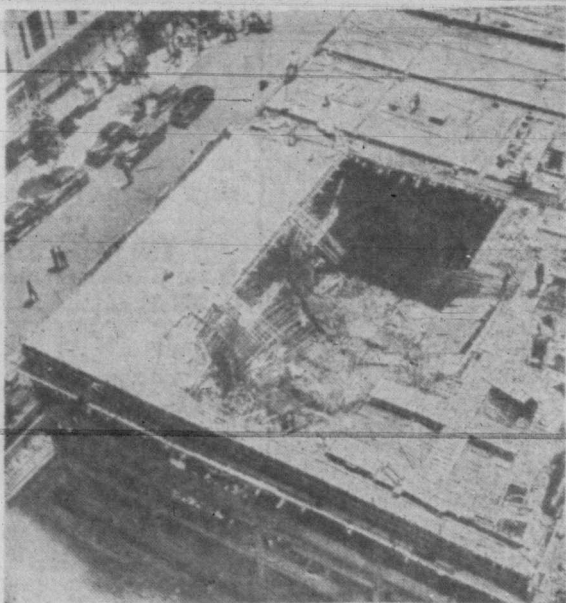
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Eight workmen were injured, two seriously, when the fifth floor of this building under construction in New York collapsed without warning. Cause of the collapse has not been determined. (NEA Photo.)

Stock Prices Fell Steadily For Six Months At Montreal

MONTREAL (CP)—Stock prices fell off steadily during the first six months of 1949 on the Montreal Stock Exchange and curb market.

Major indices showed recessions except in the index for gold stocks, which was less than 1 per cent above the index of Dec. 31, 1948.

Value of listings kept pace with the general decline and slackened trading.

Indices showed the paper group off about 23.5 per cent, the industrials 14 per cent and utilities about 4 per cent.

Turnover in industrials was more than 2,000,000 shares under the first six months of 1948 and mining sales showed approximately the same drop.

In the six months International Paper, as of June 29, had slid from 56 to 46. Abitibi was 11 1/2 compared with 15 1/2. Consolidated at 14 compared with 18.

Recessions in the utilities were far less. Bell Telephone stood at 40 1/2 at Tuesday's close compared with 41 1/2 at the end of 1948. Winnipeg Electric at 31 1/2 against 34.

Base metals suffered more. Consolidated Smelters dropped from 122 1/2 to 83 1/2 and Hudson

Bay Mining from 55 1/4 to 42 during the six months.

In comparison, drops in senior oils generally were light.

The bond market was dull.

Lighthouse Tenders Busy

The lighthouse tender Estevan has left port to resume maintenance work at Estevan Point on the west coast of Vancouver Island, Department of Transport officials report.

Another tender, the Berens, is presently engaged in repairing damage suffered to facilities at the watched light on Fiddle Reef off Oak Bay during storms last winter.

Three Lumber Ships Due

Three ships will call here for lumber during the next two days, Ken Briggs of King Bros. shipping agents, reported.

Due today from the mainland is the Matson Line's Ventura to load 500,000 feet for Australia. Thursday the Agathe and Lake Canim are scheduled to arrive at Ogden Point dock, the former for 735,000 feet for the United Kingdom and the latter for 435,000 feet for the same destination.

Navy League Essay Contest Winners To Arrive Here Tuesday

A tour of the Esquimalt naval base, sightseeing in Victoria and a trip to Nanaimo in a

Russia has a forested area of about 3,500,000 square miles.

speedy Fairmile craft are the treats in store for four western Canadian students next week.

The foursome—three boys and a girl—were winners in their respective provinces of an essay contest conducted last fall by the Navy League of Canada on the subject "Our Navy and Seaborne Trade in Our Daily Life."

They will arrive here on Tuesday afternoon and remain until Saturday. Accompanying the

students are the principals of the school each attends.

The lucky winners are: William J. Law, Winnipeg; Miss Nellie Healey, Estevan, Sask.; Bruce M. Miles, High River, Alta.; and Gerard P. Dusseault, Mission City, B.C.

While in Victoria, the students will be the guests of the Navy League of Canada and the Department of National Defence.

Ladysmith Crowns Loggers' Queen

LADYSMITH—At a colorful civic ceremony Margaret Lewis will be crowned loggers' queen before the grandstand of the Agricultural Grounds.

She will reign over the Dominion Day celebration here, head-

ing the grand parade, which will leave the starting point, Victoria Crescent at 12:30.

Attendants will be Margaret Kleeven and Wilma Cain, Cheaminus, runners-up in the popular vote which elected Miss Lewis. Susan King will be flower girl and Bobby Grouhel page boy.

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General Council For Press Of U.K. Urged After Inquiry

LONDON (Reuter)—The Royal Commission on the Press today recommended that a general council of the press be voluntarily created to safeguard freedom of the press in the United Kingdom.

The council's duties also would be to maintain and improve the standards of the press and foster its integrity and responsibility towards the general public.

The Royal Commission, in a 250,000-word report which took 26 months to complete, rejected all proposals for government control of the press. It stressed that rarity of subsidies was one of the notable features of the British newspaper industry. It refuted suggestions that political bias constantly operated in the industry.

NO PRESSURE FOUND

The commission found no evidence of pressure by advertisers to obtain omission or insertion of news items and it considered unnecessary any legislation to break up "chains" of newspapers.

Allegations along these lines were part of the case of left-wing interests in the Labor Party and in the section of the press supporting the Labor government when the commission's appointment was under discussion in 1946.



The House of Commons voted in October, 1946, for an investigation of "the finance, control, management and ownership of the press." The government appointed the commission and it began its work in April, 1947.

The commission held that the British press was "inferior to none in the world" and that "both those who own the press and those who are employed on it would universally condemn the acceptance or soliciting of bribes."

But it found that in selection of news there were some instances of bias or distortion involving the line of policy pursued by the proprietor. The commission also criticized sensationalism and intrusion into private affairs by the press.

The commission, whose report now goes to Parliament, where it will be studied and debated, suggested that the general council of the press should consist of at least 25 members representing proprietors, editors and other journalists and having lay members amounting to about 20 per cent of the total, including the chairman.

In recommending formation of a general council of the press, the commission said:

1. The lay members should be nominated jointly by the Lord Chief Justice of England and the Lord President of the Court of Session of Scotland—the heads of the courts of the two countries—who also would consult the chairman.

PUBLIC SERVICE

2. Objects of the council would be to safeguard the freedom of the press, to encourage the growth of a sense of public responsibility and public service among all engaged in journalism.

It would keep under review any development likely to restrict the supply of information of public interest and importance, improve methods of recruitment, education and training for the profession, ensure undesirable types of journalistic conduct, and build up a code of conduct in accordance with the highest professional standards. It also would investigate the possibility of a comprehensive

pensions scheme for employees, promote technical and other research, study developments in the press which might tend towards greater concentration or monopoly, represent the press in its relations with the government, organs of the United Nations and with similar press organizations abroad and publish periodical reports recording its own work and reviewing the various developments in the industry.

The commission recommended that powers of inquiry should be conferred so that present legal authorities which deal with company law could have powers to inspect the ownership of publishing companies and to demand information as to their financial structures.

ON FRONT PAGE

The commission also urged that where several newspapers are owned by a group—designated a "chain"—it should by law be compulsory for the newspapers to carry on the front page a formula clearly indicating their common ownership.

Chairman of the commission was Sir David Ross, provost of Oriel College, Oxford, and an authority on arbitration.

The two journalist members dissented from the proposal that the general council of the press should include lay members.

At its 38 meetings the commission took evidence from newspaper proprietors and their organizations, journalists' associations and working journalists themselves, news agency executives, film critics and advertising men.

PURPOSES VARY

One of the strongest impressions on the commission was of the great variety of purposes which expressed themselves through a limited number of forms of ownership.

The predominant form was the joint stock company, but while there were great joint stock companies whose objects were purely commercial, there were other proprietors who had, or originally had, quite different purposes.

Lord Beaverbrook, owner of the Express group, for example, said he ran his paper "purely for the purpose of making propaganda and with no other motive." Lord Beaverbrook has for years conducted, through the columns of the Express, an empire development campaign.

Aspiring Aeronautical Engineer Off On Flight Around The World

A young man who wants to become an aeronautical engineer will have a good chance to become familiar with air travel starting today—he is off on a journey that must be the dream of many a youngster—a flight around the world.

Peter Wright, who will be 17 in two weeks time, took off in a Trans-Canada Air Lines plane at 9 this morning for Seattle. After a day in that city, he will fly to Honolulu by Pan American Air Lines, then, after a two-day stopover, will proceed to Hong Kong and to Bangkok, Siam, where another stopoff is scheduled while he visits friends.



PETER WRIGHT

Next leg of the long journey will be to Calcutta, India, where he will be met by his father who will accompany him to New Delhi.

LONG ABSENCE

Peter will then enjoy a two-months visit with his parents after an absence of four years while he was attending Shawnigan Lake Boys' School, 27 miles north of here.

Peter's father is a consulting engineer in the Indian city. The lad himself was born in Simla, and lived all his life in India until coming to Canada for schooling four years ago.

After spending the summer with his parents, Peter, an only

child, will board an airplane again and continue his globe-circling journey.

He will touch down at Karachi, Damascus, Brussels, London, New York, Chicago, and finally Seattle and Victoria once again. He will then return to the Shawnigan Lake school for his junior matriculation.

Eric Marshall of George Paulin Ltd., shipping agents, made all arrangements for the young student's trip.

An ardent amateur photographer, Peter is looking forward to taking lots of pictures on his trip—his first lengthy one by air. He hopes to go to California Tech. to take up aeronautical engineering.

Libel Suit Barred

LONDON (UP)—The court of appeals has ruled that the Tass news agency is an organ of the Soviet Union entitled to diplomatic immunity and therefore cannot be sued for libel.

The court dismissed a libel suit brought against Tass by Czech refugee Vladimir Krajina, now living in London. He objected to a Tass article headed "Betrayed British Troops to Gestapo." Tass claimed diplomatic immunity.

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Among wives of veterinarians in the city to attend the three-day convention of Northwest Veterinary Medical Association's 29th annual meeting are, left to right, Mrs. O. W. Johnson, Davenport, Wash.; Mrs. A. L. Nabb, wife of the principal of Ontario Veterinary College at Guelph, and Mrs. R. S. Nelson, Tonasket, Wash.

Previous to a motor tour of the city, Mrs. W. R. Gunn and Mrs. M. L. Olsen were hostesses at a guest luncheon in the grill-room at the Empress Hotel for 75 wives and daughters of members of the Northwestern Veterinary Medical Association meeting this week in convention in Victoria.

Large bowls of orange and yellow poppies centred the tables. Seated at the head table were Mrs. M. O. Mulqueeney, wife of the president of Washington State Veterinary Medical Association; Mrs. G. Rose, wife of the representative of director general at Ottawa; Mrs. Sproston, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Olsen, Victoria, and Mrs. J. W. Smith, ladies' registrar.

In her capacity as chairman, Mrs. Olsen introduced Mrs. Sproston who welcomed the wives to the city.

During the luncheon Miss Shirley Gumm, accompanied at the piano by Miss Jan Olsen, gave two vocal solos.

Following a cocktail party and banquet, a dance will be held at the Crystal Garden this evening.

The oldest scientific instrument is believed to be the astrolabe, used by the Greeks 2,000 years ago, for telling time and latitude.



Mrs. E. A. Bruce of experimental station at Saanichton, left; Mrs. G. Davis, Ladner, B.C.; Mrs. N. E. Johnson, Beaverton, Ore.; Mrs. E. H. Sproston, wife of the president of the B.C. Veterinary Medical Association, Vancouver.

Guest Luncheon For Wives Of Veterinary Surgeons

Royal Jubilee Employees' Tea For Popular Member

Honoring Mrs. J. Lord, a member in the office of the secretary at Royal Jubilee Hospital for the past 13 years, who will leave shortly to make her home in the United States, all employees of the hospital held a tea yesterday afternoon in the lounge at the Nurses' Home. A corsage bouquet of sweetheart roses was presented to Mrs. Lord by Miss Martha McBride, director of social service department. On behalf of the employees, a gift of a silver tray and 15 pieces of sterling silver was also presented to the honor guest by Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson. Delphiniums and sweet peas formed the attractive mantel decorations and were repeated on the tea table. Presiding at the urns were Miss M. Green, assistant director of nursing, and Mrs. L. Irving.

Eva-Lind Hunter's Parties

Miss Eva-Lind Hunter's pre-nuptial days have been filled with a gay round of parties. The bride-elect will wed Mr. Ben Hill-Tout Thursday evening.

On Monday evening Miss Hunter was honored when a bride of two-and-a-half weeks, Mrs. John Heggie, nee Pat Smith, for whom Miss Hunter was bridesmaid, entertained at her apartment on Lee Avenue. Miss Hunter, her mother, Mrs. J. L. Hunter, and her future mother-in-law, Mrs. C. B. Hill-Tout, received corsage bouquets. Miscellaneous gifts were piled in a wishing well. Other guests were Mrs. A. Warren Smith, Mrs. F. E. Gray, Mrs. R. Burkmar, Mrs. S. Peden, and Misses Barbara Hill, June Short and Velda Willie.

Mrs. H. G. deWolf will be a tea hour hostess this afternoon at Admiral's House, H.M.C. Dockyard.

Mr. Justice and Mrs. R. G. Fisher are arriving from Toronto today and will be guests at Oak Bay Beach Hotel for several weeks.

Miss Carolyn Ramsay who has been attending the Sacred Heart School at Lake Hill, left Victoria Monday with her mother, Mrs. P. A. Watts, to make her future home at Sechart, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harling who are spending the summer in Victoria at 1949 Crescent Road, left Monday afternoon for a two week visit in California.

Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Gill, St. Patrick Street, have returned from Portland where Dr. Gill attended the University of Oregon Dental Alumni Association meeting.

Mrs. J. Patterson will leave her Colquitz Avenue home today for Edmonton to be the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. L. and Mrs. H. Miller, for the next six weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Desmond Patterson of Toronto are in the city to meet their children Shaen and Michelle, who have concluded their school term at Norfolk House. During their week's visit, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson are guests of the former's mother, Mrs. H. A. Patterson, Linden Avenue.

Dr. Wallace R. Gunn, division director, Veterinary Branch of the Department of Agriculture, and Mrs. Gunn were at home Monday evening to members of the veterinary staff who are meeting in conference with Dr. Gunn at present. The staff are also attending the convention of the Northwestern Veterinary Medical Association which is convening in Victoria this week with veterinarians from several northwest states and many provinces in Canada.

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WINNIPEG (CP)—Members of the Order of the Eastern Star have raised approximately \$3,000 to build a temple here, it was announced at the annual meeting of the Manitoba Grand Chapter held recently.

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St. Margaret's Molson Cup Awarded To Gillian Watson

The Molson Cup for academic scholarship in matriculation was awarded to Gillian Watson, in the annual prize-giving ceremony held by St. Margaret's School, Tuesday evening in the gymnasium.

St. Margaret's girls in their scarlet jackets and white skirts, the youngest members with matching scarlet ribbons in their hair, added brilliant color to the important affair.

Headmistress Miss H. M. Pearce, welcomed parents and friends and special guests.

Dean R. G. Calvert, who addressed the students, also presented the awards.

Matriculation prizes were won by Patty Lou Diespecker, English; Carol Wootton, French; Isabel Henley, home economics; Patricia Johnston, science and mathematics V; and Wendy Trump, diligence in history.

Form prizes were won by Diana Elkington, V a; Edith Nixon, V b; Marie Milburn, IV a; Jan Garbes, IV b; Anne Lucas, III a; Joan Christie, III b; Barbara Davis, II a; Jean Laws, II b; Joan Butler and Dana Thompson, I a; Trudie Humber, I b.

Leaving certificates were received by Margot Bowden, Patty Lou Diespecker, Joyce Edwards, Marilyn Leigh, Eloise McKay, Rosemary Noakes, Simone Sonet, Carol Sparling, Gladys Tremblay, Wendy Trump, Gillian Watson, and Marion Williams.

SPECIAL AWARDS

Bible knowledge cup was won by C. Wootton; music cup, B. Fowler; art prize, D. Legg Willis; public speaking pins, D. Josephs, M. Allan, G. Tremblay, P. L. Diespecker; drama awards, for acting, J. Darlington; for scrap book, D. Josephs by reversion from C. Wootton and L. Henley; librarian award, J. Edwards; neatness in residence, Norma and Bernice Arnet.

Sportsmanship Cup was won by Marion Williams, and the inter-house sports cup, awarded to Malcolm House.

I. Henley was elected sports captain for the next year.

Sports cups and awards were made to the following: Tennis, G. Jones, junior singles; G. Jones and E. Nixon, junior doubles; A. Sykes, senior singles; I. Henley and P. L. Diespecker, senior doubles.

Riding, junior winners, H. Whitworth, 1; M. E. Ward, 2; E. Williams, 3; intermediate, S. Olson, 1; M. Vaughan, 2; D. Legg Willis, 3; senior, G. Tremblay, 1; J. Darlington, 2; D. Elkington, 3.

Jumping, S. Olson, 1; D. Legg Willis, 2; D. Elkington, 3; swimming, I. Henley.

Colors: Basketball, G. Tremblay; tennis, I. Henley, W. Trump; swimming, P. Warren.

Physical awards to A. Bonnell, B. Hodgson, A. Dewsbury, G. Edgell, R. A. Gordon, M. E. Ward, D. Legg Willis, S. Humber, A. Biddle, E. Caple, M. Williams and P. Johnston.

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One Point Of View

KITCHENER, Ont. (CP)—The city council has declined to assist officially in a beauty pageant to select Miss Canada. Alderman S. F. Leavine says such contests serve no purpose, create notoriety and a considerable amount of hard feelings.

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President Mrs. F. E. L. Philp with Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns and Mrs. Nunns welcomed guests.

Mrs. J. Sutherland Brown, introduced by Mrs. Philp, opened the affair. Little Sharon Brown presented special guests with corsage bouquets and boutonnières.

Afternoon tea was served at small tables in the large hall and in the dining hall, where Mrs. Herbert Anson, Mrs. R. W. Gibson, Mrs. M. Turner and Miss M. Ashworth presided at the tea urns. The table centerpiece was a low bowl of pink roses and blue delphiniums set on a circular mirror, flanked with tall pink and blue tapers in silver holders.

Games, including putting, quoits, darts and word games, drew many visitors. In charge were Mrs. C. Raven, Mrs. G. Pownall and Mrs. H. Hamlet.

Home cooking stall, with delicious cakes and cookies, was convened by Mrs. R. A. Wootton, assisted by Mesdames F. H. Swayne, S. C. Rogers, L. Curtis, W. E. Stewart, W. Taylor, Miss G. A. Cain and Miss M. Court-nall. Mrs. F. K. Wilson and Mrs. C. W. Duck were in charge of candy sales, and linens were sold by Mrs. L. S. Daynes, Mrs. E. G. Street, Mrs. W. Arthur.

Fancy work sales were in charge of Mrs. T. H. Evans, assisted by Mrs. Charles Houghton and Miss E. Melville; woollen goods—Mrs. H. B. Forster, assisted by Mesdames G. A. Loggie, L. M. Foulkes and G. H. Richardson; garden produce, Mrs. T. Kensington, assisted by Mesdames W. Redford, J. Catroll and W. Rasmussen.

Mrs. G. Russell and Mrs. A. Blyth were in charge of the novel cup and saucer stall. Mrs. R. Mackay sold tea tickets, and Mrs. H. Bell was in charge of music.

Assisting the tea convenor, Mrs. J. J. Harris, were Mesdames E. Cooper, P. R. Brown, G. Clarke, H. Cullis, H. B. French, Angus Cameron, C. R. Holt, Bunbury, Miss F. Devereux and Miss D. Bunbury.

Today's Recipe

CRUMB BERRY PUDDING

Any fresh berries may be used. Raspberries and blueberries are especially good.

One half fine dry bread crumbs, 1 cup quick-cooking rolled oats, 1 cup sour milk, 1/4 cup shortening, 1/4 cup brown sugar, 1/2 cup sifted all-purpose flour, 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder, 1/4 teaspoon soda, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1 cup berries (strawberries, blueberries or raspberries).

Soak crumbs and rolled oats in sour milk for 1 1/2 to two hours. Cream shortening and sugar. Sift together flour, baking powder, soda and salt. Add berries to dry ingredients and add alternately with crumb mixture to the creamed fat and sugar mixture. Blend thoroughly. Fill individual moulds 3/4 full. Bake in a moderate oven, 375 deg. F., in individual moulds, 25 to 40 minutes; cake pan, 40 to 45 minutes. Serve cold with sweetened crushed berries. Yield: eight servings.

Rosy Landscape

SEABURN, Sunderland, Eng. (CP)—"Brightening up" this sea-side town includes painting garbage cans pink.

First Winner Of New College Prize



MISS ANNA WOOTTON

Announced this morning is the news that Miss Anna Wootton has been declared first winner of the new Victoria College Henry Birks and Sons prize, a gold watch, to be given annually to a first-class student who has made a valuable contribution to student life.

Miss Wootton, the daughter of Reeve R. A. Wootton of Oak Bay and Mrs. Wootton, completed her second-year college with an average of 83.4 per cent. She intends to enter University of British Columbia in September to take a combined course in Arts and Law.

All through her schooling in this city Miss Wootton has

shown her talents in music, drama and public speaking. In her first-year college she was business manager of the College Players' Club and winner of the Knights of Pythias public-speaking competition. During the past year she was treasurer of the College Students' Council.

C. J. Williams, manager of Henry Birks and Sons' in Victoria, announced this prize to the committee on scholarships and prizes. Formal acceptance of the award will be made at the next meeting of the Victoria College Council. Presentation of the watch to Miss Wootton will take place at the annual assembly in October.

Altruists Gather For Dinner Meeting

Princess Charlotte Room at the Empress Hotel was the scene of an organization dinner party yesterday evening when Miss Ann Clark, Vancouver chairman of extension in Canada for District 10, Altruism International, with a group of international officers met with Victorians at present organizing a local club.

Miss Clark presided with Miss Ruth Kramer, Marian O., recently-named international president at a convention in Banff, and Dr. Nina Fay Calhoun, Dallas, Tex., a past international president.

Other out-of-town members present, many returning to their homes in the United States from

the Banff convention, were Mrs. Anna K. Wright, Misses Katherine Smith, Ruth O'Connor, Mary M. O'Donnell, Irene Reynolds, Ruth Turner and Catherine Raub, all of Marlon, O.; Misses Dorothea Taylor and Ruth Watson, Seattle; Miss Becky Inman, Dallas, Tex.; Mrs. Leota Rennard, Danville, Ill.; Mrs. Ruby Grant, Puyallup, Wash.; Miss Ella Meyers, Sandusky, O.; Miss Irma F. Roberts, Huron, O.; Mrs. Maria Luisa Ramis and Mrs. Maria P. Fumet of San Juan, Puerto Rico; Miss Muriel Brown, Vancouver, B.C.

Victoria members and prospective members present were Misses Joan Winning, Ethel Donaldson, Jess Robinson, Mona Jewell and Mrs. R. Thistle.

Following dinner, Mrs. Kramer, Dr. Calhoun, Mrs. Rennard, Mrs. Grant and Miss Clark spoke informally to the group.

Personal Notes

The High Commissioner for India in Canada, the Hon. Sardar Hardit Singh Malik, C.I.E., O.B.E., I.C.S., accompanied by Sardarni Malik, will be in Vancouver on July 9, to attend the ceremony arranged in connection with the renaming and transfer to Indian registry of two frigates. The two ships will be christened by Sardarni Malik by the breaking of coconuts and with other Indian ritual.

In compliment to Miss Goldie Rollins, whose marriage takes place on July 1, Mrs. R. Lapp and Miss Betty Leonhardt were co-hostesses at a surprise kitchen shower held recently. The bride-to-be received a corsage bouquet of shattered baby blue iris, pink carnations and fern, and many gifts. Miss Olive Cooke poured tea and Mrs. M. Ramsay assisted the hostesses in serving. Other guests were Mesdames E. J. Bonfoy, G. Noyes, R. Yates, E. Dunne, L. Treloar, T. Robertson, M. Ramsay, P. Todd, N. Holmes and Misses Minnie Murdoch, Winnie Tapping, Millie Ford, Shirley Holmes, Kay Leask, Joan Hayward, Marjorie and Alice Davidson, Olive Cooke, Peggy Graham, Mona Quayle, Bernice Apps, and Pat Rossiter.

Honoring Miss Rheta Greig and Mr. James Alexander Park, R.C.N., who will be married Thursday evening, a party was held at the home of the bride-elect's grandmother, Mrs. J. Johnston, 1051 Wollaston Street. A decorated basket held miscellaneous gifts, and the bride-to-be received a corsage bouquet of red roses. Her mother was presented with pink roses en corsage. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Greig, Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bainbridge, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Green, Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rutter, Mr. and Mrs. B. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnson, Mrs. J. Johnson, Mrs. S. Bainbridge, Mrs. J. Bell, Mrs. H. Campbell, Miss Marie Campbell, Sheila Greig, Beverley Green, Marilyn Greig, Pat Bainbridge, and Messrs. Tony Gillespie, Leonard Barrett, Dallas Greig, Barry Bell, Gerry Bell, and Doug Bainbridge.

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VITAMIN D, MINERALS, INSURE GOOD BONE STRUCTURE

Straight legs belong to the natural pattern of development. Bowlegs and knock-knees would indicate faulty metabolism of mineral elements needed to keep the bones strong enough not to bend under the weight of the body.

Because nature is ever eager to follow its original pattern, the inclusion of sufficient vitamin D in order to help the body to a better metabolism of its mineral supplies, is the first step to be taken when the legs or other long bones of the body show any distortion. After the bones have become hardened in the distorted shape it is pretty difficult to do anything about them, except by operation.

Mrs. M. M. writes, "Could you help me with a problem which has to do with bowlegs? My 16-month-old daughter is an unusually active child and started to walk at 12 1/2 months. She crawled at the sixth month but used one leg only."

"Last month my pediatrician suggested that I have X-rays taken, which I did. The X-ray technician said that she had two bowlegs but no rickets. The orthopedist said that she had bowlegs and a mild form of rickets. These two conclusions are most confusing to me. How does one know if a child has rickets? The orthopedist suggested corrective shoes which are being made. She is 25 pounds in weight and seems well nourished. I don't know whether rickets alone are the cause of bowlegs."

The reading of X-rays is a most delicate and exacting task and it is possible that the technician might not be as skilled in reading the picture as he is in taking it.

Rickets is the foremost cause of bony deformities. One of the early symptoms of rickets is head sweating when there is no real cause for the child to be warm. (This is also the symptom of some other diseases.)

In addition to the corrective shoes see that the child has large enough doses of vitamin D.

Vitamin D is the specific for this ailment, but you must insure that the child's whole diet is balanced, and rich in mineral foods, so that the vitamin D can do its work. I think, at this early age, you can feel confident the deformity will be outgrown.

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Stockings Indicate Girl's Character, Designer Declares

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Out here the silly season gets sillier as the weather grows hotter. So

it's not surprising to find a top fashion designer telling men to judge their girls by their stockings.

Mary Kay Dodson says: "If you are thinking of marrying the gal, look at her legs. The way she wears her stockings reveals a lot more than just her legs."

Miss Dodson claims her method of character analysis is

foolproof after years of observation. Here's how it works:

1. Wrinkled stockings are worn by women who have unorganized lives. She will wear curlers in public and serve dinner a half hour late.

2. Straight seams denote efficiency. She'll make a wonderful wife for a man who admires brains as well as beauty. But she

may be exacting and demand that he pick up his clothes.

3. Seamless stockings are worn by girls who like to fool men. They think they're good psychologists.

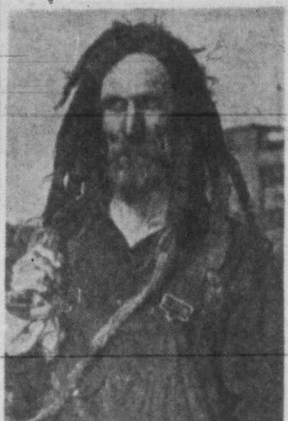
4. The zig-zag seam belongs to the nagger. Even though she slaved all afternoon over a hot bridge table, she'll claim she's overworked.

5. The girl who wears her stockings too short pouts when you catch her flirting with other men. Watch her temper, especially in the morning.

6. The girl who wears her heels under thinks woman's lot is a poor one. This may be the origin of the expression "down at the heel." This gal needs sympathy and understanding.

7. The girl with an obviously mended run is a sloppy Jane.

8. The girl who wears mismatched stockings is out of step with everything. She'll want strawberries out of season; she'll work crossword puzzles when you want to romance. Better stay a bachelor, boy!



LONG HAIR—Reuben Lindstrom (above) has his own "cure" for heart trouble. Removed from a freight train by railroad police in Buffalo, N.Y., the 55-year-old itinerant worker said whenever he cuts his hair he gets heart trouble. For the past 25 years he hasn't had a haircut.

Anti-Aircraft Firing

Army headquarters at Vancouver today advised mariners that light anti-aircraft practice firing will be carried out from Parksville on Thursday and again next Tuesday between 8 and 9 in the morning. Danger area will be the water area for 13,000 yards in an arc between Ballenas Island on the right and Sisters Island on the left.

Lumber Co. Staff Receive Awards

CHEMAINUS—Awards were made to 25 employees of the Victoria Lumber Co. Ltd. who attended grading and tallying classes under Stuart Irvine this past winter. The classes will be resumed in the autumn. Awards were made to: James Buckner Jr., Tolmi Hoyer, E. B. MacDonald, Graeme Millar, A. J.

Gadsden, John Sanders, A. J. F. B. Beauchamp, E. V. Alton, Roy, W. A. Fyffe, J. W. Corbett, D. T. I. Orr, James Houston, Robert Swannell, Malcolm Kerr, G. V. Wellburn, N. C. Morrison, J. W. Liptak, J. H. Lawson Jr., D. R. Day, N. W. Hess, F. B. Orval Delcourt, C. R. C. Johns, Mantle and Fred F. Heier.

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WOODWIND TROPICALS—Genuine Woodwind tropicals, crease-resistant, smart two-piece models. Grey, brown, fawn. The ideal suit for summer weather.
Regular \$39.50. **SALE PRICE \$33.50**

GROUP No. 3
A group of better quality suits at a good saving. In this group you will find fine imported pure wool gabardines, worsted flannels, Pic and Pic, etc. In smart, well tailored single and double-breasted models. Greys, browns, fawn, blues, etc. Exceptional values which should not be overlooked. Regular to \$59.50 values. **SALE PRICE \$45.00**

TOPCOATS
Now is the time to buy a topcoat at a greatly reduced price. These garments have arrived late in the season and that is the reason for this drastic reduction. Fine quality English gabardines and coverts in button-through and fly-front models. Regulars and tails from 35 to 44.
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New President

VANCOUVER (CP)—Rev. H. E. West of Saskatoon, formerly of Victoria, is the new president of the Baptist Union of Western Canada. He was elected at the final session of the union's five-day convention and succeeds W. C. Atherton of Vancouver.

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ON WAY TO DIEPPE RITES—Maj.-Gen. A. E. Walford, C.B., C.B.E., M.M., E.D., accompanied by Mrs. Walford, took off from Montreal Airport, Dorval, by B.O.A.C. aircraft bound for London, England. Gen Walford, former adjutant-general in the Canadian Army, will be officer-in-charge of 28 representatives of Canadian Army units which participated in the Dieppe raid of August, 1942.

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Glad Tidings Pastor Flies To Australia

Rev. E. W. Robinson, pastor of Glad Tidings Tabernacle and principal of the British Columbia Bible Institute, left for Australia Monday, traveling by B.C. P.A. Airlines. A short time ago, Mr. Robinson received a telephone call from Australia to confirm plans previously made for him to conduct a series of Evangelistic and Bible study meetings in Sydney, Brisbane, Bronte, Richmond. On his return trip, he expects to stop over in the Fiji Islands and Honolulu. He will be away about two months and the pulpit of Glad Tidings will be supplied by ministers from Victoria and Seattle.

Baha'i Followers To Gather In City

Believers in the Baha'i World Faith from all parts of B.C. will gather in Victoria—Friday for their annual provincial summer conference. The session will last four days.

The Baha'i Faith was founded in Iran in 1844 by Baha'ullah. It has since spread to 90 countries of the world. The movement was officially recognized in Canada in April 28, when the Senate passed a bill for the incorporation of the National Spiritual Assembly of the Baha'is of Canada.

The Baha'i goal is the unification of the world upon one spiritual basis and under one international government. Teachings of the faith include the principles of the oneness of mankind through a world religion; a peaceful, ordered and progressive society based on the unfettered search for truth, abolition of all forms of superstition and prejudice; compulsory education, equality of the sexes; an auxiliary international language and a world tribunal with power to provide economic justice to all nations.

Baha'is have been active in Vic-

toria since 1937. They organized a local spiritual assembly in 1948. Present officers of the assembly are W. E. Whitley, chairman; Mrs. Nan Greenwood, secretary, and Oscar Scoglund, treasurer.



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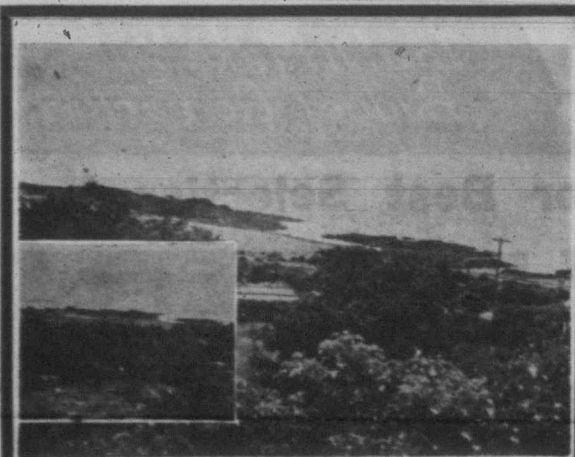
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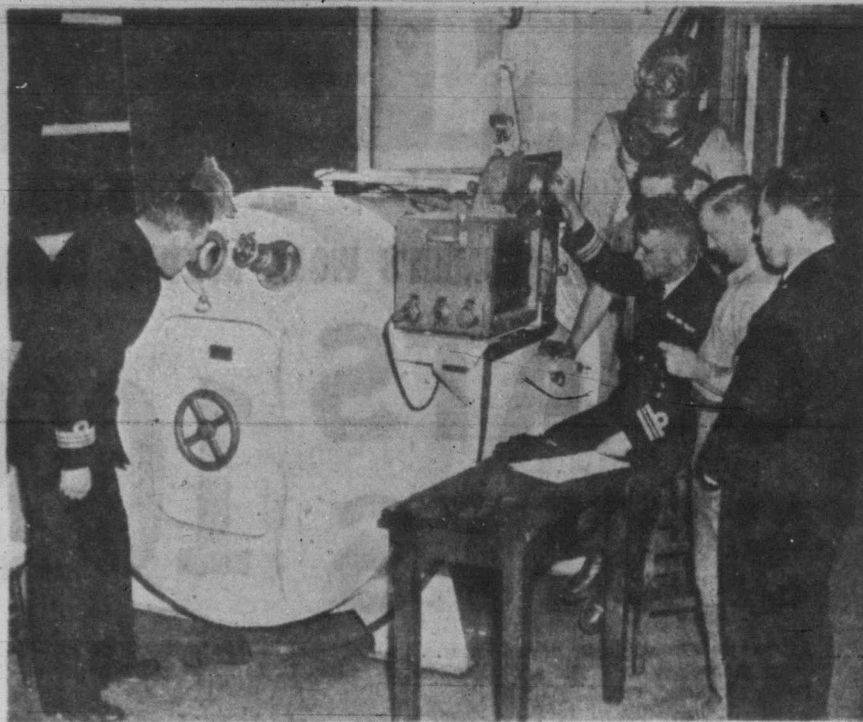
International Laboratories of London, England, who have specialized in treatments for Bronchial and Nasal complaints for 20 years, have found that two different preparations are needed to give satisfactory relief from the distress and discomforts of both Asthma and Hay Fever. All drug stores now have two new special treatments.

HAY FEVER
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Cut out this article to remind you to ask your druggist today—he can give you full information and will supply whichever treatment you require.

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WATCHES BATTLE FOR LIFE—A Canadian Navy surgeon peers into decompression chamber at the navy's Halifax Diving School as two civilian divers inside battle an attack of "the bends"—painful, and sometimes fatal, condition caused by sudden pressure changes. The men—G. E. Moore, Yarmouth, N.S., and Roland Fontaine, Dedham, Mass.—suffered the attack while working on a salvage project 135 feet undersea off Nova Scotia's southwestern shore. They spent six hours in this chamber. Left to right, are: Surgeon Lt.-Cmdr. R. F. Hand, Halifax; AB. Keith Powers (hidden), Ottawa; Lt.-Cmdr. A. H. Baker, Halifax; AB. Thomas Bingham, Saint John, N.B., and Surgeon Cadet Donald Vair, Halifax.—(CP Photo)

Shipping Firms Discriminating Against Victoria

Freight charges on goods shipped from Europe to Victoria are higher than rates charged on the same goods shipped to Vancouver and Seattle, the Chamber of Commerce found out Monday.

A Victoria glass manufacturer informed chamber directors he had paid \$18 freight on a shipment of common glass from Belgium while the freight charge on

the same quantity of glass to Vancouver or Seattle was only \$13.

The glass, it was noted, was shipped aboard a Dutch freighter which called at Victoria before proceeding to either Vancouver or Seattle.

The ship would have called here anyway, it was stated.

Walter Miles, president of the chamber, observed the two mainland cities benefited under the rate schedule set by the North-West Pacific Conference of shipping companies, while Victoria did not. He urged that the chamber take action to have this city recognized as being eligible for

the conference rate. Duncan MacBride observed Victoria had been dropped off the conference rate three years ago.

"We're gradually losing our status as a port," he said. "Only with an accumulated effort can we get back on the list."

Mr. Miles urged something be done immediately.

"If we don't do something about it," he said, "we are going to get further submerged. It requires action to regain the maritime position we once enjoyed."

Directors decided the chamber should take the matter up with the various shipping companies which set the North-West Pacific Conference rate.

SAMMY KAYE

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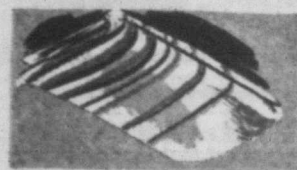
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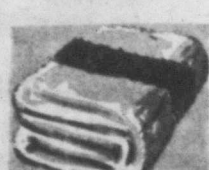
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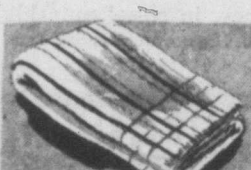
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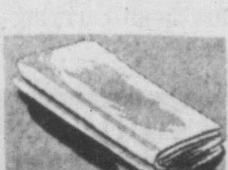
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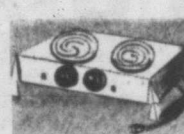
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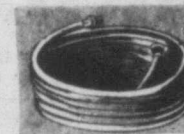
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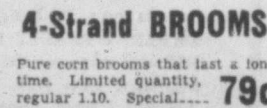
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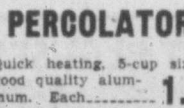
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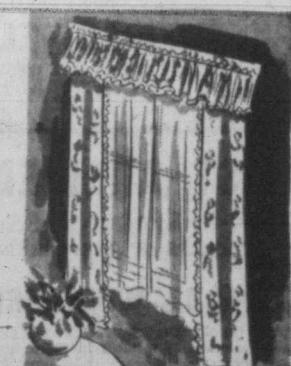
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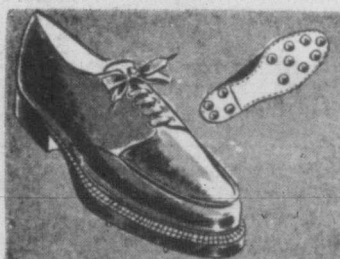
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As Bill Andrews goes, so go the Jokers in the Senior Lacrosse League.

Last night the portly netminder of Roy Woolsey's club was in rare form as he turned aside 26 shots in Jokers' 8 to 3 victory over Tillicums.

The result put Jokers in a tie with Tillicums for second place, each with three victories in eight starts.

Scoring star of the game was Larry Booth who fired three goals, all markers coming in the second half.

The game was rather slow for the first period with teams reaching the breather tied at 1 to 1. Jokers pulled ahead 3 to 2 at the half on second period goals by Ralph Temple and Bill Cunningham. Art Green notched both of Tillicums' first half markers.

Andrews reached his peak performance in the third stanza as he blanked the clubmen—stopping nine shots—while Larry Booth rapped in the only goals of the period.

Winners pumped home their final three tallies in the fourth period while the best Tillicums

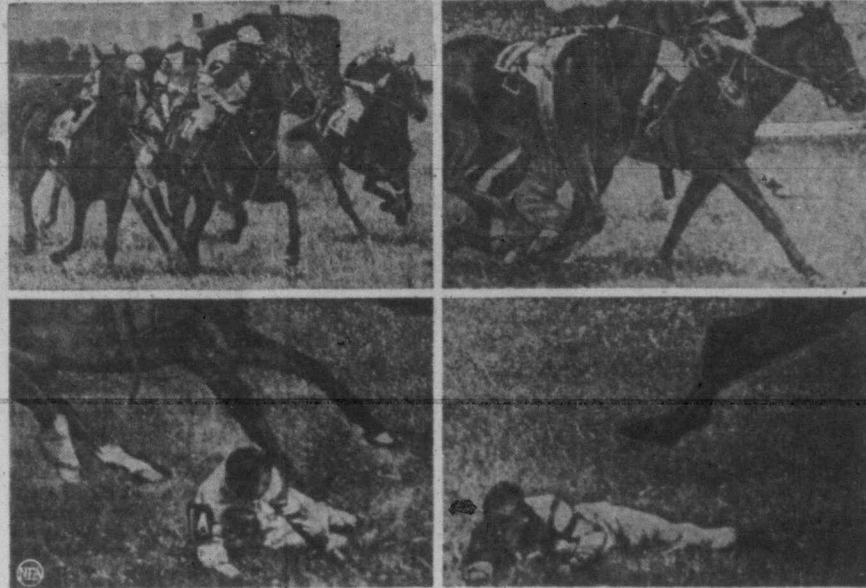
could do was muster one from the stick of Norm Coates.

In a pee-wee league preliminary, Joker Golds and Fernwood Whites played to a 3 to 3 tie.

Harry Connor, Darrell Mills and Dave Simpson scored for the Golds with Bert Belfie, Donny Shewchuk and Bob Caldwell finding the help for Whites.

Teams and scores follow: A. Booth, Temple 2, Joyce, L. Booth, Ellis 2, Banks, Cunningham 1, Scroggie, Rhodes, Fellow, Brown, Read.

Tillicums—Long, Henderson, J. Bamford, Lawrence, Mason, Green 2, Reid, Ritchie, G. Bamford, Corry, Popham, Coates 1, Bourke.



Making A Living The Hard Way

That extra pair of legs, upper left, belongs to Harry Yeldell, thrown when Timber Tourist tripped in a steeplechase at Aqueduct, the track nearest New York City. Jockey is really in tight quarters as he hits the turf. Flying hoofs imperil him, but he breathes easier as the last of nine horses pass.

Local Shots Do Well In Firing At Heal's

First day's firing in the 65th annual prize meeting of the British Columbia Rifle Association meeting at Heal's Range yesterday saw the crack entry of shots participate in service conditions matches. Competition will continue through until Saturday morning—Victoria marksmen fared well in the first day's events.

Sapper N. N. Hirsch of the Royal Canadian School of Engineers, Chilliwack, carried off the honors in the Logana Match, deliberate fire at 600 yards, with 48 out of a possible 50. S. Sgt. E. O. Roberts, Canadian Scottish, placed fourth and CPO. T. Chandler, Royal Canadian Navy, fifth, each with a score of 45.

In the Westminster Match, sharpshooting at 300 yards, Sgt. Maj. C. Young of the Westminster Regiment, was the winner with a score of 43. CPO. H. C. Dunbar, R.C.N., was the only local to hit the prize list with a 39 for fifth position.

GARRISON ENTRY WINS

The R.C.M.P. rapid fire match saw Craftsman N. M. Herriot of the Esquimalt Garrison capture the trophy and replica with 40 points and also took the cash prize for the high tyro. He is participating in his first B.C.R.A. meet.

Commissioned Gunner G. A. Grivel, R.C.N., was second with a 39, and CPO. T. Chandler and CPO. E. A. Moore placed fourth and fifth with 37s.

The Dunbar Match (fire with movement—600 to 100 yards) was won by Maj. T. W. Hall of the Westminster Regiment, CPO.

D. Colgrave placed second with 40, Lieut. Hugh Thorburn of the Canadian Scottish Regiment placed third with 39, and QMS. E. A. Costello placed fifth with 38 points. CPO. Colegrave also won the cash prize for high tyro in the match.

NAVY MAN VICTOR

CPO. T. Chandler won the Service Conditions Aggregate

for the day's shooting with a total of 152 points and CPO. E. A. Moore placed second with the same total-point score. Cadet J.

H. Ball of the 5th Regiment Cadet Corps figured in the tyro prize money in spite of the fact that he lost a possible 25 points by failing to get more than five of his 10 shots away in the rapid fire match. Ball scored 122 for his first day of competitive shooting.

The Wilkerson Shield team match was won by the Royal Canadian Navy with a score of 550 points. The Active Army placed second with 539 points.

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Attendance In Minor Ball Leagues Jumps

COLUMBUS, O. (AP)—Minor league baseball attendance for 1949 is running well ahead of the record-breaking pace of a year ago.

George M. Trautman, president of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues (the minors), sampled his bush loops to ascertain the trend.

He picked up the attendance figures for the first 30 days of the campaign from 188 of the 448 clubs, and found a net attendance gain of 117,321 over 1948 for the same period. The survey showed 101 clubs had hoisted their turnstile count by 202,579, while the other 87 were down by 85,438.

In class B there was a 40,810 loss, with 23 clubs showing a loss and 20 a gain. But in the Western International League, Yakima, Wash., led by Joe Oregano, was up 17,664 with a 39,313 total, and Vancouver, B.C., played to 42,169, an upsurge of 15,952. Spokane, Wash., also in the Western International and right behind Yakima and Vancouver in the flag fight, counted 40,338 tickets for a hike of 9,815.

The triple-A circuits were not included in the survey.

Enter Times-Anglers Solarium Salmon Derby at Saanich Inlet July 24.

Aces' Surge Halted By Douglas Tire Nine

Douglas Tire threw aside another challenge last night by turning back Brentwood Aces 5 to 1 in a Senior A Men's League softball fixture at Central Park.

Aces, the hottest club in the league of late, with the exception of the Tiremen, threw their ace righthander, John Furmston, at the pacesetters last night but his six-hit performance wasn't quite good enough.

HOME RUNS

Two home runs, one by Toad Garnet and the other by Ray Byers, each coming with a man on base, was all the help Tiremen's Ken Gunther needed as he stopped the suburbanites with six scattered blows.

Garnet hammered his four-bagger in the third inning with the score tied at 1 to 1 and that proved to be the winning margin. Byers' two-run smash came in the sixth frame.

The result of the game does little to alter the league standings. Tiremen are still way out in front with a four and a half game bulge over the runner-up Aces, who in turn are a game and a half in front of Chinese Students.

GAME TONIGHT

Tonight Timber Service will attempt to get back on the victory bandwagon when they meet the last-place Bluebird Cabs at

Central Park at 6:45.

In a women's senior B tilt, Toppers edged Eaglettes 10 to 9 while in senior C men's action, Navy eked out a 14 to 11 verdict over B.C. Electric after getting off to a 10-run first inning. Short score of senior A game follows:

Douglas Tire 5 6 4
Brentwood 1 6 0
Gunther and Milliken; Furmston and Turner.

SPORTS ROUND-UP

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.
NEW YORK (AP)—If Pittsburgh baseball fans feel the need of something to cheer about they could do worse than organize an anniversary celebration today and tomorrow. . . . It was just 40 years ago today that Pirates played their last game at Exposition Park and beat the Cubs 8 to 1. The next afternoon they moved into Forbes Field with a crowd of 30,338 on hand and lost a 3 to 2 decision to Chicago. . . . That 1909 season was when Pittsburgh won the pennant by six and a half games from the great Cub team that walked off with the flag four times in five years. . . . Among the Pirate players were Fred Clarke, Hans Wagner, George Gibson and Tommy Leach, four of Pittsburgh's all-time great players. . . . The Cubs included such stars as Joe Tinker, Johnny Evers, Frank Chance, Jimmy Sheckard, Ed Reulbach (the first winning pitcher at Forbes Field), Mordecai Brown and Jimmy Archer.

SHORTS AND SHELLS

Freddie Trenkler, the comedy ice skater, flew from Australia to Chicago to see the Charles-Walcott fight. Maybe he got some ideas for his act. . . . The Yankee players took up a collection the other day to present a gold pen and pencil set and a cash purse to their batboy, Ralph Carrieri, who enters the City College of New York next fall. . . . Judging by his education, the Pirates Bill Werle should have been an outfielder instead of a pitcher. . . . During his first two years at the University of California, Bill studied entomology. . . . In case you don't know, that concerns flies.

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Cooper Not Sorry To Leave N.Y. Giants

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Walker Cooper is shedding no tears for the manager he left behind—Lippy Leo Durocher.

The 34-year-old Cincinnati catcher is convinced the scrappy New York Giant manager wanted to be rid of him. He indicates the feeling was mutual.

"We never had words," Cooper said today. "But I always felt he never wanted me around and it was just a question of time when he would get rid of me."

Cooper was traded to the Reds June 13 in a straight player deal for catcher Ray Mueller. A few days later, the Giants sold catcher Mickey Livingston to Boston Braves.

"I thought Livingston was a better catcher than the two fellows (Mueller and Wes Westrum) that Durocher has now," Cooper continued. "I don't know why he

got rid of him."

He added with a twinkle in his eye: "Somebody said it was because Livingston went around with me. I just wasn't very popular with Leo."

Of Durocher's managerial methods, the big catcher said: "I don't think he uses the right tactics in handling players. You can get on some fellows and help them, you get on others and you hurt them. Durocher jumps on everyone."

The Giants are currently in fifth place and the Reds in sixth. Lest his criticism sound like sour grapes, Cooper wants it made plain he's happy with the Reds—and with manager Bucky Walters.

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Only 63% Of Victoria Electors Voted, Returning Officer Says

Sydney Child, Victoria federal returning officer, said today that a preliminary perusal of the voting figures in the federal general election here Monday indicated that about 63 per cent of the total electorate exercised the franchise.

Mr. Child offered this figure as a prediction rather than as the result of an actual comparison of votes cast with eligible voters. These statistics will be worked out by election officials later in Ottawa. If 63 per cent of the voters did vote the percentage is practically the same as in the 1945 federal general election here.

A completion of the tabulation of voting today showed the following result: Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew, Liberal, 18,823; Gordon A. Cameron, Progressive Conservative, 8,702; and William Caird, 4,906. These totals are known as the preliminary count.

ARMED SERVICES VOTE

The official count, at which the result of the polling of members of the three armed services will be added to the civilian vote, will be made Monday by Mr. Child. Little if any change is expected in the official tabulation other than the addition of the servicemen's vote. In the official count Mr. Child merely tabulates the original statements of returns by deputy returning

officers. Duplicates of these returns were used to compile the preliminary count.

Mr. Child said today he had been informed that he would be notified by Ottawa on Friday of the service vote.

Although Mr. Mayhew has been well aware of his sweeping victory in Victoria since shortly after 9 Monday night, he will not be advised officially by Mr. Child until late next Monday, following the official count.

The result of voting in nine up-island polling places still is lacking for completion of the tabulation of voting in Nanaimo constituency. The figures as they stood today, without the nine polls, are as follows: Maj. Gen. G. R. Pearkes, Progressive Conservative, 16,080; Robert Strachan, C.C.F., 8,425; and W. E. Poupore, Liberal, 8,378.

Police Tug-Of-War Team To Invade Vancouver

City police tug-of-war team, which has been in training under Sgt. Thomas Banister for some weeks, will invade Vancouver Friday to take part in the 43rd annual police sports program. Team members are Constables Robert Mair (anchor), Ray Maitland, Robert Massen, Arthur Newsome, Lewis Kamann, Angus Stewart, William Knowles, Donald Bule and John Birch (spare).

Editor Of 'Buzzer' To Retire Thursday From B.C. Electric

Thomas R. "Tom" Myers, the man responsible for the B.C. Electric's Buzzer, will retire Thursday.

He will be honored by E. W. Arnott, Vancouver Island vice-president of the company, and fellow employees at a ceremony Thursday afternoon. Then he will turn his desk over to someone else to continue the job of getting out the popular bus pamphlet he started 34 years ago.

Mr. Myers has been with the B.C. Electric 41 years. He started in Fernie as a helper in the gas department. Later he was transferred to the company's accounting office in Victoria and in 1915 was given the job of Buzzer editor.

The Buzzer—or Buzzer as it has been called since streetcars were taken out of service—has presented company patrons with an insight into the workings of a public utilities corporation.

The back page of the four-page pamphlet has always been popular with commuters and has come to be known as the "joke page." Here, Mr. Myers has re-told many of the anecdotes he has gathered during his lifetime.

As a youth, Mr. Myers attended Durham University in England. After leaving there, he came to Canada as a teacher but quit after having an argument with a local school inspector in Fernie.

Mr. Myers resides at 1166 Richardson Street. He is an active member of the Rotary Club, the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau and the British Empire Club. His hobbies are music and fishing.

Exhibition Park Overnight Entries

VANCOUVER (CP)—Exhibition Park entries June 30:

First Race—Claiming, \$500, 3 years and up, 5 furlongs:
4495 Wild Tawn (Summers) 115
4500 Don Publico (Venero) 120
4501 Lumbly (Miller) 115
4502 Moss Kink (Venero) 115
4503 Royal Time (no boy) 87
4504 Teddy's Flying (Martinez) 120
4505 Sure Perfect (Albion) 120
4506 Brown Earth (no boy) 115
4507 Regular Joe (Silverright) 120
4508 Cherry Marcus (no boy) 100
Also eligible:
Bobby Lady (Mareno) 110

Second Race—Claiming, 3 years and up, 5 furlongs:
4509 Prince (Neal) 112
4510 Belle Park (Gibson) 108
4511 Safety Breeze (Jensen) 117
4512 Vix First (Neal) 120
4513 Private Doctor (K. Wilson) 120
4514 Mataro (T. Johnson) 117
4515 Sweet Aggie (K. Wilson) 100
4516 Rural Parade (Broadard) 110

Third Race—Claiming, \$500, 3 years and up, 5 furlongs:
4517 Sir Gallant (Connell) 120
4518 Galia Roma (Cooper) 115
4519 Royal Time (no boy) 115
4520 Medicine Hat (Neal) 115
4521 Art Thresh (H. Johnson) 115
4522 Nubal G. (K. Wilson) 115
4523 Kelowna Belle (Marino) 115

Fourth Race—Claiming, 4 years and up, 5 furlongs:
4524 Mighty Menace (H. Johnson) 107
4525 Sir Gallant (Connell) 122
4526 Pal O' Gene (T. Johnson) 122
4527 Collie Flash (T. Johnson) 117
4528 Royal Time (no boy) 122
4529 Red Fly (Martinez) 122
4530 Lady Victoria (Venero) 122
4531 Pory Donna (H. Johnson) 117
4532 Pory Donna (H. Johnson) 117

Fifth Race—Claiming, four-year-olds and up, five and a half furlongs:
4533 Daily Souther (Ricketts) 107
4534 Royal Time (no boy) 117
4535 Jublynn (Silverright) 117
4536 Norton (K. Wilson) 117
4537 "Beaming Sun (no boy) 115
4538 "Press Boy (Ricketts) 115
4539 Brother Dear (Cooper) 115
4540 Red Chaff (Summers) 122
4541 "Shea, Fiddler (no boy) 117

Sixth Race—Allowance, \$500, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
4542 Firm Gold (no boy) 110
4543 Rip Vee (Christensen) 120
4544 Dry Feet (Summers) 115
4545 Wypac (K. Wilson) 115
4546 Gold Bay (Cooper) 120
4547 Lady Victoria (Venero) 120
4548 Pory Donna (H. Johnson) 115
4549 Fighting Trout (Broadard) 115

Seventh Race—Allowance, \$500, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
4550 "Bridgion, Jack (Bates) 112
4551 "Pretty Sweet (no boy) 108
4552 Kip Rose (Mareno) 120
4553 Arbor Vita (no boy) 110
4554 Katona (Silverright) 110
4555 "Six Away (no boy) 110

Eighth Race—Allowance, \$500, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
4556 Corno (Summers) 120
4557 Adolene (Cooper) 115
4558 Sun of York (Mareno) 115
4559 Brighton (no boy) 120
4560 Lily Destrer (Wilson) 108
4561 Lamouche (Neal) 115
4562 No Demand (Venero) 108
4563 Saanichion (T. Johnson) 115
4564 "Halls (Hall) 108
4565 Speedy Lass (Silverright) 110

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
*Weather—rain—Track sloppy.
First post, 4 p.m.

J. McVie Returned President Of Arion Male Choir

James A. McVie, 2130 Central Ave., has been returned as president of the Arion Male Voice Choir by acclamation at the 57th annual meeting of the group held at the Mount Douglas Tea Rooms.

Other officers elected were: S. Murphy, vice-president; W. Brimblecombe, financial secretary; K. Cummings, recording secretary; Fred Wright, treasurer; Tom Kelway, concert master; D. Stewart, librarian; A. Geddes, assistant librarian and H. A. Cox, auditor.

Frank Tupman was elected conductor of the group with Leo Greig appointed assistant conductor. K. Symonds, T. Hammond, J. Almond and R. Gray were named to the music committee.

Mrs. Helen McVie, present club accompanist, suggested that the choir establish a Gertrude Wain Memorial scholarship in memory of the former accompanist.

Honorary life membership was presented to Herbert Kent, conductor emeritus and club historian. Mr. Kent is an original charter member, having been with the choir since 1892.

Observations of the choir's present status were given by Frank Sehl and Philip Hughes, both former conductors. At the conclusion of the business meeting, a colored film record of the visit of the Eugene Gleemen was shown by Mr. McVie and choral selections from the "Festival of Song" were played.

April Gas Sales Show 10% Gain

British Columbia gasoline sales totaled 10,993,258 gallons in April, an increase of 10 per cent over March of this year and April of last year, the Coal and Petroleum Control Board reported today.

In Victoria district sales to resellers rose to 755,421 gallons from 692,916 gallons in the previous April. This 8.02 per cent increase compared with a 6.15 per cent increase for Vancouver and district and a 25.85 per cent increase for the remainder of the province. Sales to resellers accounted for 7,302,388 gallons of the 10,993,258-gallon total.

Commercial consumption for the whole province showed a 6 per cent increase, while marine sales were down by 10 per cent and aviation sales were down by a fraction.

Comparing April and March sales this year, all categories showed increases except aviation.

Smallholders Enter Prize Competition

Tidying-up processes in the yard, new coats of paint on the house and hedge trimmings are the order of the day for numerous veterans on the island who are preparing for the Dominion-wide Veterans' Land Act

small holdings competition. Prizes will be awarded on the basis of improvement on property since last autumn, according to G. L. Chatterton, regional supervisor for V.L.A. He said the purpose of the competition was to encourage owners to show interest and improve their property.

Cash prizes have been offered by the Department of Veterans

Affairs, and the Canadian Legion will award a cup for the best small-holding in B.C. In addition, the Agricultural Institute of Canada will award a prize, donated by several firms, for the best agriculturally developed small-holding on Vancouver Island.

The Cosmopolitan Business Men's Club meets at 6.15 Thursday evening at the K. of P. Hall on Cormorant Street.

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55-3238—Don't Hang Around Me Anymore; In Memory Of You Dear Pal.

55-3237—Too Many Tears; My Kalua Sweetheart.

55-3236—How She Could Yodel; Blue Ranger.

4743—Lonesome Blue Yodel; Was There Ever A Pal Like You.

4741—The Prisoned Cowboy; My San Antonio Mamma.

4737—Broken Dreams; The Rainbow's End.

4735—The Galveston Rose; I'll Tell The World That I Love You.

4729—The Alphabet Song; The Polka Dot Blues.

55-3216—Your Little Band Of Gold; Headin' Home.

55-3218—Seal Our Parting With A Kiss; Rose Of The Rio.

55-3204—Lonely And Heartick; Mother Is Praying For You.

4739—The Days Are Long And I'm Weary; When That Someone You Love Doesn't Love You.

55-3268—Goodnight Little Buckaroo; You'll Regret These Words Little Darling.

55-3267—Just Across The Bridge Of Gold; Dream Tide.

55-3266—When My Blue Moon Turns To Gold Again; Your Last Kiss Has Broken My Heart.

55-3265—I'm Sending You Red Roses; Old Moon Of Kentucky.

4686—The Broken Wedding Ring; She's A Rose From The Garden Of Prayer.

4684—You Didn't Have To Tell Me; Wandering On.

4691—Under Hawaiian Skies; His Message Home.

4688—The Answer To 'The Blue Velvet Band'; On The Mississippi Shore.

4661—Till Ride Back To Lonesome Valley; Bluer Than Blue.

4657—Someday You'll Care; Yodeling Back To You.

4655—The Texas Cowboy; There's A Picture On Pinto's Bridle.

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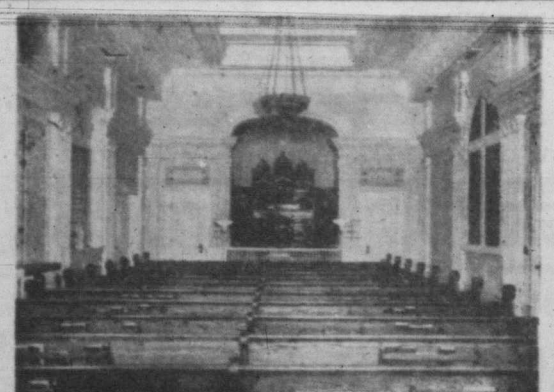
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Kiwianians Enjoy Musical Program

Believing that more musical entertainment should be provided at the weekly luncheon meetings, Victoria Kiwanis Club officials turned Tuesday's luncheon program over to Sam Swetnam, chairman of the music committee.

Mr. Swetnam arranged an entertaining program which featured Malcolm Hamilton, pianist, Frank Ivings, tenor, and Mrs. Elsie Stephenson, contralto. Mrs. Swetnam was the accompanist.

President Don Smith announced that the newly-formed Duncan Kiwanis Club will meet each Wednesday evening. Tonight's meeting will be handled by the local president.

Fred W. Watkins, Norman T. Johnson and Harvey Bailey were introduced as new members.

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New Folder Lists All B.C. Resorts

Publication of a folder listing B.C.'s auto court and resorts designed to assist both tourists and travel agents, was announced today by Trade and Industry Minister L. H. Eyres.

The folder lists more than 1,000 resorts and stopping places listed by the department. The auto courts and resorts are listed regionally, tabulated in order in which they are approached on or from the highway. Brief descriptions of the various areas and facilities available also are given.

The subsequent editions will show the star rating of the licensed stopping places. The grading, said Mr. Eyres, will be completed practically by the end of the season. The vacation and tourist facilities in B.C. now are overall, definitely superior to the average on the continent, he said.

Luxton Cubs Hold Father, Son Banquet

A father and son banquet was held at the Luxton Hall by the Luxton Cub Pack. After supper, the boys joined in a community sing accompanied by J. Fraser. Mrs. D. Richards led the boys in the opening and closing ceremonies, as cub mistress.

A beach picnic will be held Wednesday evening at Esquimalt Lagoon for the cubs and their parents. They will meet at Luxton Hall at 7.15. Transportation will be provided for those boys whose parents cannot attend.

Frank Oliver, 937 Johnson Street, a taxi driver, was fined \$15 by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court today. Oliver pleaded guilty to a charge of soliciting business more than six feet from an authorized zone.

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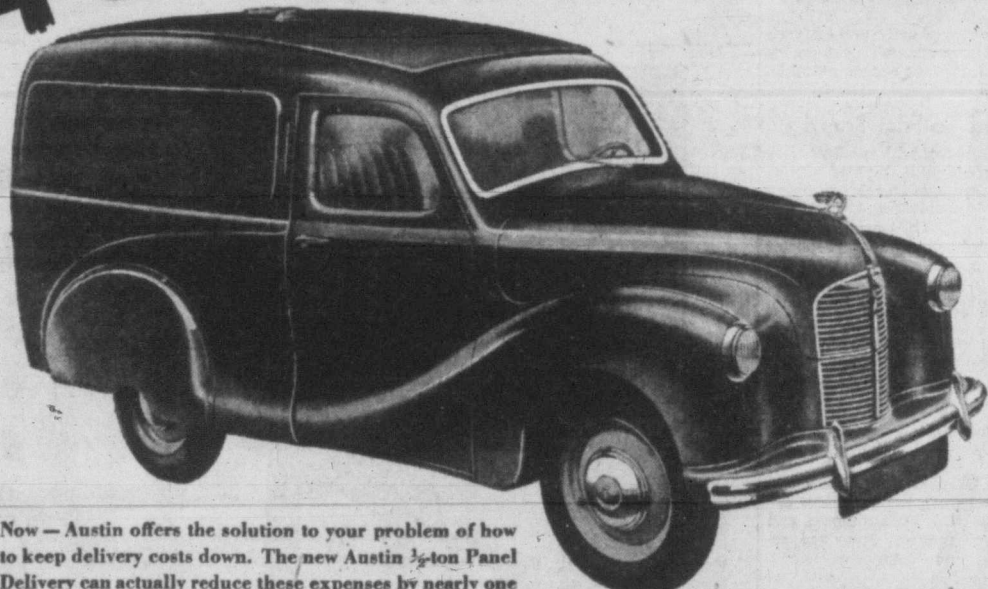


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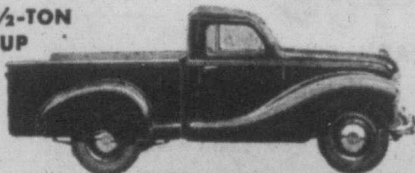
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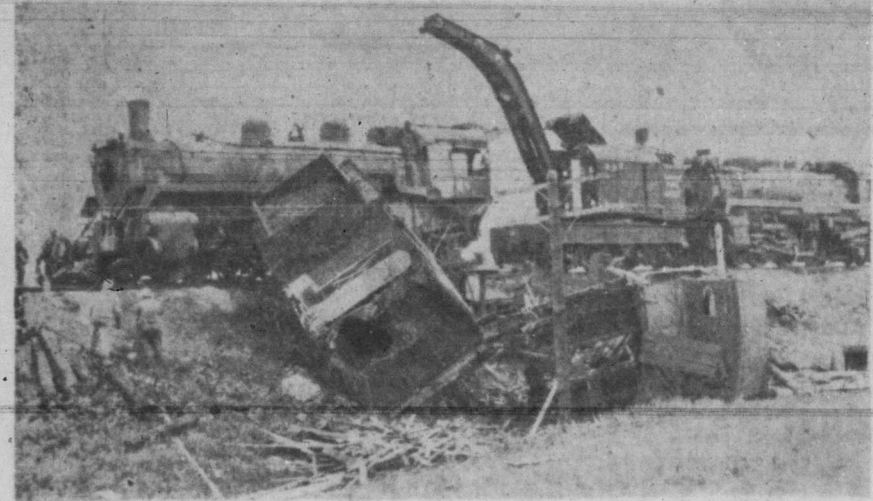
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TRAIN WRECK IN SASKATCHEWAN—A train wreck in which a doubleheader freight plowed into the rear of a pusher engine on the end of another freight in a dense fog early Sunday took the life of a train conductor and injured two others. The accident occurred near Pilot-Butte, Sask., 12 miles east of Regina. Harvey E. Butler of Moose Jaw, Sask., was killed. (CP Photo)

Sooke Residents Prepare For Gala Day July 27

SOOKE—Beavers make a lazy showing compared to the time and energy voluntarily being expended by residents here in preparation for the 1949 "All Sooke Day," scheduled to take place at Sooke River flats July 27.

Only those persons who have steered 12 "All Sooke Days" to their successful grand finales, realize just what a tremendous undertaking is at hand in regards to this giant picnic, barbecue and sports day.

To accommodate the thousands of people who throng the green picnic flats on an "All Sooke Day," another grandstand will be constructed.

Admission to Sooke River flats, which is owned by the Sooke Community Association, sponsors of the day, is free, as are also the seats in the two grandstands.

Between these grandstands will be run off boys' and girls' flat and novelty races, men's and ladies' races, a men's half-mile race and a relay race, and the tug-of-war.

A horseshoe pitching contest will begin around 2.15.

LOGGING SPORTS

Tourists again will be offered the thrill of seeing men of brawn and muscle swing their axes and skillfully push their saws through Sooke timbers, in the popular logging sports.

Many challenge cups and added prizes are offered to the lumbermen who compete in the various events. A ladies' nail-driving contest will be held.

Memories of the 1864 gold rush on the banks of the Sooke and Leech Rivers will be recalled as the 1949 goldfields get into operation on "All Sooke Day." "Come, stake your claim," is the cry in this direction along the midway.

DAILY TIMES BABY PRIZE

Babies, 18 months and under, may suddenly rise to fame as they compete with nearly 100 boys and girls, including twins in the Sooke baby show. Only babies from rural districts are

eligible to enter and stand a chance of winning the Victoria Daily Times prize. There are many other prizes, too.

Whetted by the fresh Sooke air, no appetites need go unquenched, for there will be continuous refreshments served. Barbecue of beef, "Sooke style," and salmon barbecue, cooked just right between wire racks along a trench of slow alder coals, will be the menu headlines.

Valuable prizes are offered on "All Sooke Day." Batchelors may find themselves the possessor of a hope chest filled with wares, or the youngsters may discover they can take an electric range or washing machine home to mother.

ALL ASKED TO HELP

Every resident has been invited to help with the celebration, and president of the Sooke Community Association, Robert G. Gibson, said newcomers to Sooke area, who wish to do any specific work should contact Walter Conder, secretary.

At night, an "All Sooke Day"

dance will be held in Sooke Community Hall.

Proceeds from the whole carnival will go toward Sooke Community Association for the betterment of its holdings here, and for the welfare of Sooke district.

Nanaimo Council Seeks To Regulate Street Advertising

NANAIMO — Regulation of street advertising was sought by Nanaimo City Council in a resolution to be forwarded to the provincial government through the Union of B.C. Municipalities. The council seeks an amendment to the Municipal Act.

They ask provision for the regulation and prevention of advertising devices on city streets and distribution of handbills, dodgers, circulars, cards and other similar items.

Congestion on the main business streets, council said, made it essential for the city to have power to control use of the streets, since a recent court ruling noted the Municipal Act could not be construed to include distribution of handbills.

Scientists Collecting Data

Three Victoria men now are conducting scientific investigations and collecting bird, animal, marine and plant life data on desolate Triangle Island, about 30 miles off the northern tip of Vancouver Island.

They are Dr. Clifford Carl, director of the provincial museum here, Charles Guignot, biologist, and George Hardy, botanist. The trio, which left here last Tuesday, was landed on the wind-swept, bush-covered island Saturday.

Capt. Walter Redford, skipper

of the fisheries vessel Howay, said on his return Monday that the scientists will remain on the island until another fisheries ship reaches them—possibly later this week.

Meanwhile, the three men will have lots to do on the tiny island jutting high out of the sea. There is plenty of unusual plant life—though all bushes and shrubs—there are no trees, lots of sea birds and sea lions and a variety of marine species.

HEAVY SWELL

Describing the landing of the party on Saturday, Capt. Red-

ford told of the difficulty, even though it was a relatively calm day, of overcoming the heavy ground swell. The landing had to be made between swells and the motor boat and two landing skiffs pulled up before the next one.

As a precaution, Capt. Redford radioed to all fishing craft in the vicinity that should a large fire be seen on the island it would mean the party would be in need of help. He did not anticipate there would be any trouble, however.

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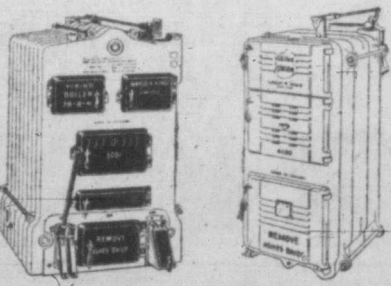


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Mill Bay Ferry Back In Service Early Next Week

The Brentwood-Mill Bay ferry will be back in service again early next week.

This was the good word received Tuesday afternoon by directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce who have been invited to make the initial trip run when service is resumed.

The ferry has been out of operation since last November, while the provincial Department of Works has been constructing two new wharves for it. Service was originally scheduled to be resumed July 1 but it has been found minor adjustments have yet to be made to the Brentwood wharf and that service will not start until Monday or Tuesday.

Reports Chamber 'Scraping Along'

A cry for more members is still being raised by the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

Fred Hawes, chamber vice-president, revealed at a directors' meeting Tuesday afternoon, that the chamber is "just scraping along" and that new members are still needed to bring in more revenue so the chamber can operate as it wishes.

Chamber To Study Watershed Question

The Victoria Chamber of Commerce will have a committee look into the matter of what should be done to the Sooke watershed area.

At a meeting Tuesday afternoon, directors were asked to

One Steamship Inspector Not Enough, Chamber Feels

The Chamber of Commerce will press the Dominion government's Department of Transport to appoint at least one more steamship inspector to the port of Victoria.

At the present time there is only one steamship inspector here, A. A. Stephens, and there is more work than he can handle, the chamber contends.

The matter was brought up at a meeting of the chamber's board of directors Tuesday afternoon by president Walter Miles.

Mr. Miles said that the number of steamships and motorships using Victoria had increased greatly in recent years but that the government had taken no steps to meet the increase so

far as its inspection service was concerned.

"We have the same system here now as was had at the beginning of time," Mr. Miles declared. "One man to look after all the ships that come here and at Sidney and Chemainus as well."

Mr. Miles said there were 14 men in Vancouver attached to the steamship inspection office there and that Victoria was certainly entitled to more than one.

"We have been passed up," he said. "And it's about time we did something about it."

The meeting decided to bring the matter before the attention of Transport Minister Lionel Chevrier and Fisheries Minister R. W. Mayhew.

endorse a brief prepared on the subject by the South Vancouver Island Rangers. Directors thought, however, they should learn more about the watershed before voting on the brief.

The brief asks that the present timber stands on the watershed property be conserved so that some time in the future a scenic drive can be put through.

The chamber committee will work in close contact with the Greater Victoria Water Board in studying the matter.

Chamber Supports Mayor's Proposal

The Victoria Chamber of Commerce will support Mayor Percy George in his efforts to have the provincial government provide additional financial aid to municipalities out of revenue collected through the 3 per cent sales tax.

The mayor is seeking to have

1½ per cent of the sales tax revenue used for municipal aid. At the present time, municipalities are only entitled to 1 per cent.

Directors of the chamber were unanimous in endorsing the mayor's plan when they considered it at their meeting Tuesday afternoon. Previously, the retail merchants section of the chamber had gone on record as being behind the mayor's plan.

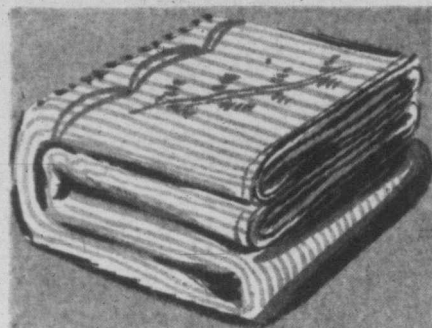
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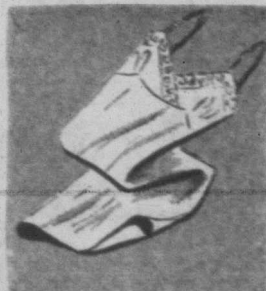
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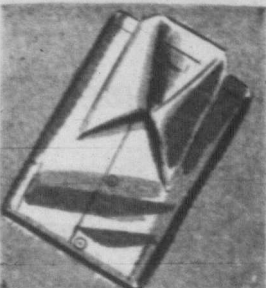
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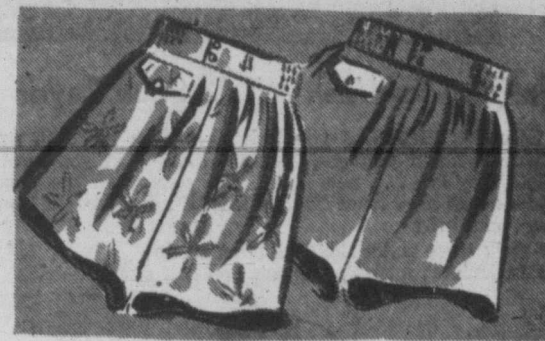
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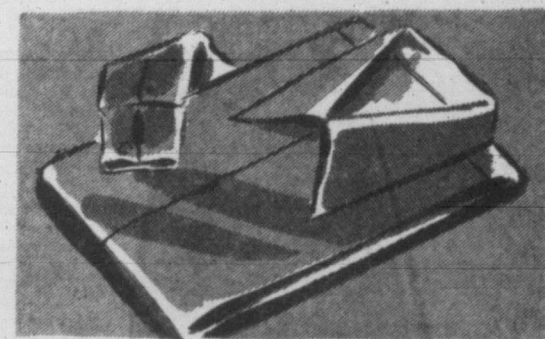
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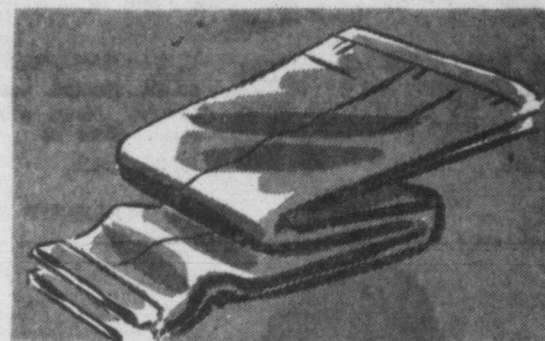


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First Race—Claiming, \$500, 3 years and up, 5 furlongs:

6895 Wild Town (Summers) 115
6790 Don Chico (Neal) 120
6963 Lumbly (Miller) 115
6842 Mona Kalk (Venero) 115
6435 Royal Time (no boy) 97
6897 Teddy's Flying (Martinez) 120
6789 Sure Perfect (Albey) 120
6922 Brown Earth (no boy) 115
6920 Regular Joe (Stevewright) 120
6866 Cherry Marcus (no boy) 105

Also eligible:

6896 Balmey Lady (Mareno) 110

Second Race—Claiming, 3 years and up, 5 furlongs:

Idaho Princess (Neal) 112
6816 Belle Park (Rizzo) 120
6817 Safety Bolt (D. Jones) 117
Vic First (Neal) 120
6892 Priory Destrer (K. Wilson) 105
6886 Malace (T. Johnson) 117
6893 Rural Parade (Stoddard) 110

Third Race—Claiming \$500, 3 years and up, 5 furlongs:

6914 Sir Gallator (Connell) 120
6902 Gella Roma (Coppernoll) 115
6893 Minaki (T. Johnson) 115
6894 Medline Hat (Neal) 115
6794 Act Three (H. Johnson) 115
6894 North G. (K. Wilson) 120
6918 Kelowna Belle (Marino) 115

Fourth Race—Claiming, 4 years and up, 5 furlongs:

6842 Mighty Menace (H. Johnson) 107
6843 Pairfoot (no boy) 122
6844 Red Ky (Marino) 117
6887 Celtic Flash (T. Johnson) 117
6888 Boots Sherry (no boy) 122
6889 Red Ky (Marino) 117
6894 Pasi Forward (Venero) 120
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6875 Sir Fox (Stevewright) 117

Fifth Race—Claiming, four-year-olds and up, live and a half furlongs:

6897 Dolly Somers (Ricketts) 107
6884 Rock Steady (Venero) 117
6884 Jubilee (Stevewright) 117
6718 Noreen (K. Wilson) 115
6891 Seaming Sun (no boy) 115
6484 Press Boy (Rizzo) 115
6891 Brother Dear (Coppernoll) 122
6891 Red Chalk (Summers) 122
6817 Sea Fiddler (no boy) 115

Sixth Race—Allowance, \$500, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

6799 Firm Cold (no boy) 110
6919 Rip Vee (Christensen) 120
6924 Dry Feet (Summers) 115
6902 Van Vic (K. Wilson) 108
6920 Gold Bay (Coppernoll) 120
6913 Lady Vernon (Martinez) 110
6913 Fighting Trout (Stoddard) 115
6916 Brilliant Jack (Hates) 113

Seventh Race—Allowance, \$500, four-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

Lennox Pie (Neal) 115
6899 Pretty Sweet (no boy) 108
6914 Rip Vee (Christensen) 120
6900 Arbor Vita (no boy) 115
Katonka (Stevewright) 110
6918 No Demand (Venero) 115
6819 Treka Bow (Summers) 115
6904 Winnamucca (T. Johnson) 120

Eighth Race—Allowance, \$500, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

6866 Adonne (Coppernoll) 115
6921 Sun of York (Mareno) 115
6910 Lady Destrer (Wilson) 108
6921 Lamouche (Neal) 115
6921 No Demand (Venero) 115
6774 Sandichion (T. Johnson) 115
6827 Portageandmain (Hall) 113
6920 Speedy Lass (Stevewright) 115

Apprentice allowance claimed.

Weather, raining—Track sloppy.

First post, 4 p.m.

Lanier To Return To Cards; \$30,000 Contract Rumored

DRUMMONDVILLE, Que. (CP)—Max Lanier, left-handed pitcher, who was reinstated in organized baseball, has decided to return to the St. Louis Cardinals and prepared to leave Drummondville today.

Lanier was one of a number of players who jumped to the Mexican League in 1946. A five-year suspension on all was imposed. Recently Baseball Commissioner Happy Chandler announced the suspensions had been lifted.

Lanier and others came to the Quebec Provincial League this year, a league not in organized baseball. He was leading pitcher in the league with eight wins and one loss.

Rumors here that Lanier would have a \$30,000 contract with the Cardinals could not be confirmed.

Last spring business men and other fans in Drummondville subscribed for \$10,000, the salary Lanier asked here. In addition he received bonuses, free living quarters and other inducements.

Russians Building Navy Bases Along North German Coast

BERLIN (AP)—The Russians are building naval bases along the northern coast of Germany on the Baltic Sea, United States army intelligence sources disclosed today.

Red Fleet engineers have been working on the bases for months, the informants said. The area, between Rostock and Stralsund, in the province of Mecklenburg, is fenced off and tightly guarded. The sector is part of the Soviet-occupied zone of Germany directly north of Berlin.

Army officers theorized that the bases are intended as links in a sea chain of communications stretching all the way to the Baltic States and Russia proper. One source said this would enable the Russians to maintain supply lines without depending on land routes through Poland.

Urge Stiff Sentences On Drug Offenders

HARRISON HOT SPRINGS, B.C. (CP)—Committee on criminal justice has recommended a 10-year maximum sentence with second offenders liable to life imprisonment for convictions under the Opium and Narcotics Drug Act.

The recommendation was made to the two-day convention of the B.C. Section of the Canadian Bar Association and the Law Society of B.C., which opened here today.

Tug Speeds To Aid Ship In Atlantic

HALIFAX (BUP)—The Panamanian steamship Buntis radioed today it was in distress about 300 miles north of Bermuda and needed help from a tug.

There was no immediate explanation of the trouble. Air-sea rescue headquarters in Halifax said the master of the 1,138-ton vessel had asked for help from a Halifax towing company and that the tug Foundation Lillian was steaming toward the scene.

Yorkshire's Hutton Sets World Record For Month's Score

LONDON (Reuter)—Len Hutton, England and Yorkshire opening batsman, today shattered a world record when his score against Sussex reached 68. He had then scored 1,282 runs since June 1—the highest aggregate for any single month by any player.

The previous mark of 1,281 was set by Walter Hammond in August, 1936. Hutton looked set for a century but was caught after reaching 80.

In most of the first-class matches which opened today, humid conditions favored bowlers with a swing attack and wickets tumbled.

Close-of-play scoreboard: At Gillingham—Combined Services 72; New Zealand 355 for five.

At Westcliff—Essex 63 and 22 for three; Derbyshire 245.

At Leeds—Sussex 181; Yorkshire 178 for two.

At Manchester—Lancashire 221; Middlesex 48 for none.

At Bournehead—Hampshire 347 for nine; Warwickshire to bat.

At Tunbridge Wells—Kent 182; Gloucestershire 187 for two.

At Cardiff—Northamptonshire 210; Glamorgan 72 for two.

At Guildford—Surrey 494; Leicestershire to bat.

At Lords—M.C.C. 120; Oxford University 194 for five.

At Sandhurst—Cambridge University 414 for eight declared; The Army 56 for one.

Today's Baseball

NATIONAL LEAGUE

R. H. E.	
Cincinnati	3 9 0
Pittsburgh	7 11 0

Errault, Livel (2); Gumbert (4); Eterson (7) and Cooper; Lombardi and McCullough.

Boston 3 7 4
New York 9 11 3
Bickford, Antonelli (3) and Salkeld, Crandall (1); Jansen and Westrum.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

R. H. E.	
St. Louis	1 5 0
Chicago	0 5 0

Garver and Lollar; Pierce and Wheeler.

Weather Forecast
Overcast with showers today; light winds. Clear this evening and Thursday with southwest winds, 20 m.p.h. Warmer. Tonight, 45; high Thursday, 65.

Two U.S. Women In Tennis Semi's

LONDON (CP)—Mrs. Margaret Osborne du Pont of the United States today played herself into the semifinals of the Wimbledon Women's Singles Championship, defeating the British Wightman Cup star Mrs. Betty Hilton 6-1, 6-3.

Shirley Fry of Akron, O., and Mrs. Helen Pedersen Ribhany of Boston, Mass., topped the British team Mrs. P. Knight and Miss E. M. Sutton, 6-2, 6-2, putting the American girls into the semifinals of the women's doubles.

Louise Brough, Californian holder of the women's title, easily reached the semifinals at the expense of Britain's Mrs. Molly Blair. The blonde American won 6-2, 6-3.

Touring Manager Loses Ball Team

REGINA (CP)—Harold Morris, owner of the San Francisco Sea Lions, touring negro baseball team, was a troubled man when he arrived here today—minus his ball team.

He said his players jumped his club and signed to play with Buchanan, Sask. All Stars for the remainder of the season. The Sea Lions were slated to tackle Regina Caps in a doubleheader today. Caps now will play the Buchanan club tonight instead.

The only player Mr. Morris has left is Sammy Workman, an armless and legless performer who has been traveling with the team.

The Sea Lions have permission from the Immigration Department to stay in Canada until the end of August. Mr. Morris conferred with immigration officials here and a move, he said, is under way to have the players deported to the United States for jumping their bond.

DiMaggio Carries Yanks To Victory

BOSTON (AP)—Joe DiMaggio continued to celebrate his return to active duty today, pounding out two home runs and driving in four runs to spark the league-leading New York Yankees to a 9-7 uphill triumph over the Boston Red Sox. His second homer in the eighth proved to be the winning run.

RUSTY RILEY

I JUST THOUGHT OF SOMETHING ELSE, RUSTY. DO YOU REMEMBER THAT ARKANSAY TOLD US THERE WAS NO WAY FOR A WAGON TO GET ON TO THE TRAIL ACROSS THE CANYON?



'Love Pirate'

Sigmund Engel, 73, held in swindle of Chicago woman, is in trouble but still hasn't lost his touch with women. Engel, known as the 'love pirate,' holds hand and pats chin of one of his admirers in Chicago police station.—(NEA Photo)

Britain Calls Empire Meet On Dollar Crisis

LONDON (Reuter)—The British government announced tonight it had proposed a meeting of Commonwealth Finance Ministers in London toward the middle of next month to discuss the 'dollar situation.'

Correspondence with the other Commonwealth governments is still proceeding and a further announcement will be made on completion of the arrangements.

The announcement, confirming reports of an early Commonwealth economic conference, said:

'The dollar situation which is engaging the close attention of all the United Kingdom government is one that affects the government of all the Commonwealth countries.'

'In accordance with the practice of consultation between

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Lawyers Of B.C. Name Officers

HARRISON HOT SPRINGS, B.C. (CP)—J. A. Clark, K.C., of Vancouver, was today re-elected vice-president for the B.C. section of the Canadian Bar Association.

Council members elected were: Dean G. F. Curtis of the U.B.S. Law School; G. L. Murray, Leon Ladner, K.C., W. H. M. Haldane of Victoria; for a one-year term; L. St. M. Dumoulin, T. E. H. Ellis, T. G. Norris, K.C., J. B. Clearhue, Victoria K.C., for two years; and Douglas McK. Brown, J. G. A. Hutcheson, Ernest B. Bull, and A. C. DesBrisay, K.C., for three years.

Members of the Commonwealth on matters of common concern. The United Kingdom government has thought it right to suggest to the other governments that finance ministers should meet in London for discussion towards the middle of next month.'

Serious Situation May Follow Tie-Up Of Docks, Railways

LONDON (UP)—Prime Minister Clement Attlee called in key ministers today for urgent consultations on a strike of London dock workers and a call for a slowdown strike on the nation's railways Sunday.

Earlier A.P. and U.P. dispatches had said the proposed slowdown by railway workers would create traffic chaos and that a total of 25,000 London stevedores might be affected by the dock strike.

Strange Poisoning Of Girl In Auto Probed In Chicago

CHICAGO (AP)—A 17-year-old girl died today in an automobile under circumstances which police said are unexplained.

Her male escort, speechless, from the effects of a poison he said was forced upon the girl and himself by two men, is under treatment in a hospital.

The girl who died was Miss Joan Coward and her companion Arthur Marino, 27, who had been courting the girl a year.

Police said Marino drove up to the Riverside police station at 5:45 a.m. Unable to talk, Marino pointed to the rear seat where the girl's body, with shoes and stockings removed, lay partly on the back seat. Police summoned an inhalator squad which worked over the girl for 45 minutes but was unable to revive her.

Unable to speak, Marino informed police by notes that two men had forced them to drink from a bottle. He said the men came upon them while he and Miss Coward were seated in Marino's parked car.

Four Communists In California Jailed

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Four Communist Party leaders have been sentenced to a year to 18 months in jail for refusing to answer grand jury questions about the party in Los Angeles County.

Federal Judge Peirson M. Hall Tuesday sentenced:

Dorothy Ray Healey, county organizing secretary, to 18 months; Elvador Greenfield and Max Appelman, organizers, and Hbrace W. Newman Jr., education director, each to one year in prison.

A fifth defendant, Alvin Averback, East Los Angeles organizer, was fined \$10 and not given a prison term after testifying he had become embittered as a boy when he was persecuted because his father was of a minority race.

Judge Hall told him he has the first person in the proceedings 'who has any real reason for his attitude toward society.' The jurist offered to reduce the sentence to one cent.

Empire Games Trials At Lakehead Oct. 6-8

PORT ARTHUR, Ont. (CP)—The combined British Empire Games trials and Dominion boxing championships, will be held here Oct. 6-8, the Thunder Bay branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada announced today.

By Frank Godwin

MEANWHILE IN HOLLYWOOD
WELL, MILES, I'M GLAD YOU COULD WAIT AND TRAVEL OUT TO CACTUS KNOB WITH ME. I'M ALL SET. LET'S GO.
A FEW DAYS DON'T MATTER. I'M GLAD TO HAVE COMPANY, TATE.
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Western Queen

Carol Lampe, 20, expert horsewoman and honor student at the University of Nevada in Reno, will reign over the Reno Rodeo festivities July 2-4. As Miss Nevada 1949 she will compete for the Miss America title at Atlantic City.—(NEA Photo)

Today's Final Prices On Vancouver Market

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)		
OILS—	Bid	Asked
Anacosta	8	10
Anglo-Canadian	205	210
A.P. Con.	16	20
Calumet	31	32
British Dominion	18	22
C. and E. Corp.	440	460
Central Leduc	80	82
Commonwealth	35	45
Dalhousie	64	68
East Leduc	19	22
Exxon	34	37
Fieldhill	46	50
Globe Oil	18	22
Hargreave	12 1/2	13 1/2
Highland Sarsore	910	950
Home Oil	80	85
Leduc West	24	26
McDermid	9	11
Mercury	12 1/2	14 1/2
Okla. City	120	130
Pacific Petroleum	247	250
Royal Canadian	115	120
Sponsor	17	20
Sunoco	17	20
Superior	23	26
Vanadia	20 1/2	26
Vulcan	20	25
Wellsboro	435	450
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	8 1/2	9
Brionne	805	900
Bridge River Cons.	2 1/2	3
B.R.K. (1935)	10 1/2	11
Cananda Cons.	10 1/2	11
Caribou Gold	115	125
Capitol	3 1/2	4
George Copper	30	35
Goldstream	3 1/2	4
Grandview	3 1/2	4
Grill Wilkane	170	180
Healey Mascon	3 1/2	4
Highland Belle	53	55
Island Mountain	170	180
Pacific Nickel	12 1/2	14
Pennell Nickel	285	310
Pioneer Gold	325	350
Premier Border	2 1/2	3
Prudhoe	14	16
Quintana Copper	170	180
Reeves McDonald	170	180
Revo Gold	100	105
Sheep Creek	105	109
Sitka Premier	7	8
Silver Ridge	3 1/2	4
Taylor Bridge	3 1/2	4
Vanadia	10 1/2	11
Wellington	1 1/2	2
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Products	2 1/2	3
B.C. Turf	30	35
Buttard Drydock A	225	240
Canadian Western Lumber	105	110
Capital	200	210
Coast Breweries	220	230
D. B. MacMillan A	200	210
Do. B	400	410
Pacific Coyle	30	35
Porter River	3025	3100
Sun Publishing	1675	1725
Westminster Paper A	1775	1800
Total sales, \$8,449.		

Call Off Search For Mission Slayer

MISSION, B.C. (CP)—The search for the killer of Silver Hill has been called off.

Provincial police reported today they have withdrawn active possmen from the bushlands surrounding the farm of Ivar Johnson, 70-year-old recluse charged with two killings.

Police believe Johnson is either lying dead, shot by his own 30-30 rifle, or has fled the district.

Johnson has been the target of a determined posse, armed to the teeth, since the slayings last Thursday of two farm women—Mrs. Marie Lindberg, 68-year-old widow, and Mrs. George Barrett, 66-year-old mother of three children.

The crazed farmer has not been seen since the rifle-killing.